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Performers from one of the local groups that took part in this year's Hackney One Carnival share a few words

OVER 7,500 people turned out for this year's Hackney One Carnival. They were rewarded with fantastic

weather and amazing displays by 850 performers from 16 carnival groups, who paraded from outside Hackney

Town Hall to Hackney Downs. The procession of some of the brightest and boldest outfits brought traffic to a

standstill as carnival groups danced through the streets.

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GO FOR NEW HOMES

By

James Willsher



MORE than 100 new homes will be built on three housing estates, thanks to nearly £10million of funding.

A total of 115 homes are planned for Bridport House, Colville estate; Ottaway Court, Landfield estate; and Rendlesham House estate after the Government's Homes and Communities Agency (HCA) granted the Council the funding.

Construction work is set to begin next March, with homes scheduled for completion and renting by Spring 2011.

The Council has worked with Colville estate Tenants & Residents Association to draw up a vision for regeneration, involving improved safety and access routes to shops, schools, and public transport; a mix of buildings to ensure larger homes with gardens and balconies; and also public open spaces.

The aim is that Bridport House will be the springboard for the regeneration of Colville estate. Residents of Bridport House will

"The Council remains committed to regeneration of the borough's estates"

soon be moved out to allow demolition work to begin, while sites at Ottaway Court and Rendlesham House estate are already cleared. The funding ensures work can begin on these first blocks, while the Council is also working closely with residents and developers on

progressing the regeneration of Alexandra National, Tower Court, Bridge House and Marion Court estates.

The HCA funding is part of a new Government initiative allowing councils to build new homes for social rent for the first time in several decades.

Cllr Karen Alcock, Deputy Mayor of Hackney, said: "This is good news for residents, and demonstrates that despite the economic downturn, the Council remains committed to the regeneration of the borough's estates and to providing 21st Century homes for local people."



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Empire will strike back

THE Hackney Empire is an icon of the borough and the Council is absolutely committed to helping it get back on its feet.

It was very sad to hear that, following management changes, the theatre needs to temporarily stop its main stage operation for around nine months after this year's pantomime. However, the education and participation work that the Empire does with schools and community groups will continue.

The break in performances will give the theatre the chance to rethink the way it operates and the type of show it stages. This is to make sure it can attract bigger audiences to all of its shows throughout the year – as it does very successfully with its fantastic annual pantomime – and so has a long-term future.

I've been assured that the new team are successfully getting to grips with a large range of issues at the Empire, including the significant debt problem and that some shows simply have not been successful enough.

The Council will continue to support the Empire as we always have, and – along with the Arts Council – we are helping ensure the theatre is able to recover from these difficulties and return to as full a programme of shows, as soon as practically possible.

The priority for all of us is to see a viable theatre in the Empire for the people of Hackney and audiences across London.

Jules Pipe

Jules Pipe, elected Mayor of Hackney



Staff and pupils from Cardinal Pole Catholic School show minister Tessa Jowell how to get to grips with the Crimestoppers text service

Text could save a life

By

Miranda Yates



Students from Cardinal Pole Catholic School met with the Minister for London, Tessa Jowell, to explain how they are doing their bit to drive down knife crime.

The students have been learning about the national Crimestoppers text messaging service, which gives young people the opportunity to report knife crime in confidence using text messaging.

The initiative is based on research that has shown this is the method of communication young people are most comfortable using.

“Over the past year, Hackney has seen knife crime drop by 17 per cent”

The minister heard Year Nine students talk about the benefits of being able to report someone who has been spotted carrying a knife.

The project, which is due to be rolled out across the country, is one of a raft of projects where partners work together to tackle youth crime.

The Council and police also run Operation Blunt with Neighbourhood Wardens, an initiative

where street patrols search and confiscate weapons across Hackney estates.

Mayor of Hackney Jules Pipe said: “Over the past year, Hackney has seen knife crime drop by 17 per cent with youth crime as a whole down by 32 per cent. While we recognise there is more work to do, through close working between the

Council and the police, there are now 10,000 fewer victims of crime in the borough each year than there were five years ago.”

MORE INFO

Visit: www.crimestoppers-uk.org; or to report a crime anonymously text: 88551

A pupil being interviewed at the Crimestoppers event



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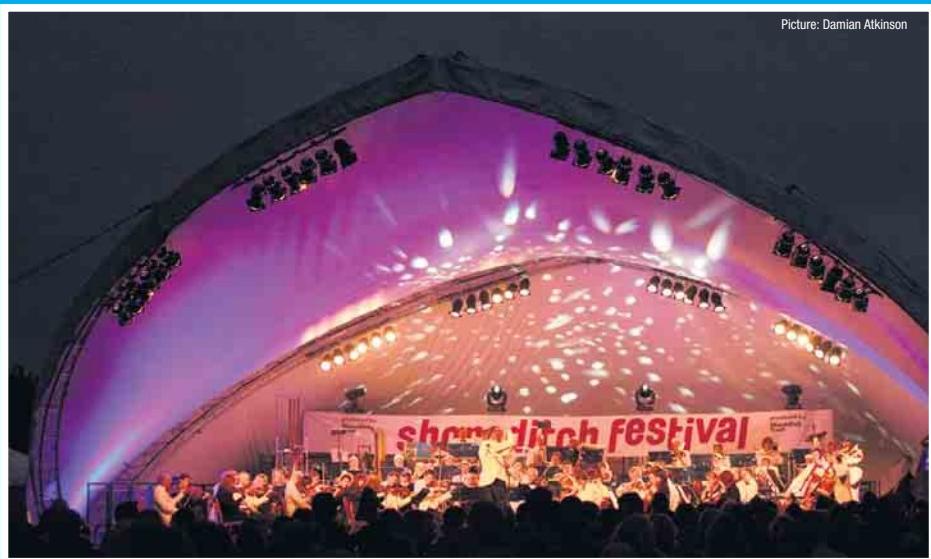
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Recognition for the Shoreditch Festival

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The Royal Philharmonic Orchestra proved a big hit at Proms In The Park, part of this year's Shoreditch Festival

Top gong for prom

All stories by
Marcel Reinard

Shoreditch Festival has picked up an accolade for culture-led project of the year at the Regeneration & Renewal awards 2009.

The magazine gave the N1 festival the top culture honour, said judges, because of its range and quality of events,

involvement from local people and businesses, and organisers' efforts to make culture accessible to all. Judges were also impressed with its originality, ongoing impact, benefits to local people and its financial viability. The awards ceremony was held at the Royal Lancaster Hotel and presented by former political communications

strategist Alastair Campbell. Lyn Fenton, Regeneration & Renewal judge, said: "This is a great project that clearly manages to punch well above its weight in terms of the quality and the range of events it puts on."

The summer event, which ran from 17 to 22 July, included a live performance



Judges were impressed with its originality and its financial viability

from the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra and a mini-Olympiad for young people. There was also a live music show, DJs and poetry from local poet Joe Dunthorne.

The festival, produced by Shoreditch Trust, aims to bring together communities through involvement in high-quality performances, cultural experiences and a programme that is inventive and entertaining.



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NEWS IN BRIEF

Hackney Empire support

THE Hackney Empire – London's flagship variety theatre – is to temporarily close next year for a 'period of reflection'. The 108-year-old venue will reduce its productions during 2010, while it looks at its financial situation. The theatre said the decision was made to 'stock take' how the organisation operates, sells tickets and manages and chooses shows.

Clarie Middleton, who becomes the interim chief executive after her predecessor Simon Thomsett left by mutual consent, will oversee the running of the theatre and work with the board to change programming. Previously, she had handled similar situations at the Bristol Old Vic and Exeter Northcott Theatres.

A support package from Hackney Council and the Arts Council is also helping to assist the theatre's renewal.

This year's pantomime season, which stars veteran Hackney dame Clive Rowe in the show Aladdin, will continue to January 2010 as planned.



Clive Rowe as Mother Goose at the Hackney Empire

Food fraud

RESTAURANTS and cafes are being alerted to fraudsters claiming to be inspectors from the Food Standards Agency. Acting as food hygiene officials, they claim to carry out inspections then con substantial sums of money from businesses by issuing bogus on-the-spot 'penalty' fees.

The Council has warned restaurant owners that the Food

Standards Agency does not carry out inspections, or hand out fines for unhygienic food or premises.

Additionally, while Hackney Council environmental

inspectors do carry out checks and may issue instant fines, immediate payment will never be demanded as the officers do not handle money.

For more info on food inspections, contact Environmental Health on: 020 8356 4911. You can also report the crime by e-mailing foodfraud@foodstandards.gsi.gov.uk, or report any known or suspected food fraud by telephoning the food fraud hotline on: 020 7276 8527.

Correction

In issue 216 of Hackney Today (21 September) a report on benefit fraud case incorrectly identified the person convicted as Gary McIntyre, when it should have been Gavin McIntyre, 32, of Upper Clapton. HT regrets the error and apologises for any inconvenience this may have caused.

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Youngsters taking part in a workshop as part of Hackney Museum's Journeys Of Changes project. The exhibition runs until 4 Dec

Say it loud...



By
Karyn Michael

Celebrating black culture and achievement is the theme for Hackney's Black History Month programme in 09.

There is an exciting offering this year, exploring music, dance, film, theatre, literature, the spoken word, politics and history.

Activities taking place at Hackney's Libraries include guest speakers from the worlds of entertainment, writing, business, education, and politics.

Actress and comedian Tameka Empson will host 'An Audience With...' (28 Oct); journalist and marketing professional, Joy Francis will impart advice on how to get into writing (21 Oct); poets can get tips

Guest speakers featured in Hackney's Black History Month 2009



Thandi Haruperi



Kola Olutimehin



Kwame M.A.
McPherson



Joy Francis



Tameka Empson

on perfect prose from poet Kwame M.A. McPherson (8 Oct); Thandi Haruperi, who works with African communities affected by HIV, will discuss the history of black educators (12 Oct); acclaimed speaker Kola Olutimehin will look at the

history of black authors (3 Oct) and Operation Black Vote will hold a seminar on black leadership in the UK (22 Oct).

'Growing Up Black', a collection of images of Hackney's black community taken by

Dalston raised, world renowned photographer Dennis Morris, is now on at Hackney Museum. It is accompanied by 'Growing Up Hackney' showcasing work by young people who spent the summer working on a photojournalism project inspired by Dennis.

Other events include Exploring London's Communities through their Archives (15 Oct). Cllr Nargis Khan, Cabinet

1. Eddie Noble, airman & author
2. Classic carnival fun, Hackney 08-
3. Open Mic Speakeasy at Hackney Central Library
4. A full programme of BHM events, right, is out now. See below for details

Black History Month October 2009

Hackney

Growing Up Black: An Exhibition of Photographs by Dennis Morris

Celebrating Black Culture and Achievement in Hackney

Member for Community Services, said: "We have a very full offer this year with events to suit everyone regardless of age or interests. The historical lectures sound particularly interesting – learning about the black community's role in the development of horse racing or the life

Nearly all of these events are free, so please help celebrate black culture with us."

MORE INFO

A guide to Black History Month is available from libraries, Hackney Museum, and some leisure centres, or visit: www.hackney.gov.uk/black-history-month.htm

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£3.7million investment in improved waste services



Service at the Millfields Waste Depot have been massively improved thanks to £3.7million investment

NEWS IN BRIEF



Customer Service Week

DURING National Customer Service Week, 5 to 11 October, the Council and other public services are joining together to help residents find out more about what's on offer in Hackney. Over 60 public and voluntary services are supporting the initiative, including libraries, health and children's centres.

Finding the organisation that provides the service which people need can be hard, so staff wearing 'here to help' badges will assist residents to look up information on the Internet such as a telephone number, or make a call to the organisation they need. Maps showing the location of public services in the borough will also be on view.

The Council wants visitors to give feedback on the customer services they receive during the week. Those who do, will receive an 'I Love Hackney' Oyster Card holder as a thank you. For more information, contact Hackney Contact Centre on: 020 8356 3000.

Recycling scheme expanded

FROM 5 October, you can recycle even more materials in Hackney. Food and drink cartons such as Tetra Paks and plastic packaging have been added to both estate and street level collections. The scheme was expanded in response to residents' requests, and Hackney joins only a handful of councils nationwide to collect these materials.

While the list of recyclable material is growing, there are still some items that can't be processed yet. These include polystyrene and foam, plastic films, crisp packets and sweet wrappers, plant pot and Tupperware. It's also important to make sure that plastic packaging is free from food. At present, every street property in Hackney has a weekly collection for Green Boxes (dry recyclables), and Blue Bins (food waste). A Brown Bin service picks up garden waste for over 16,000 properties, while all estates and high-rise properties in the borough have a recycling bank.

Cllr Alan Laing, Cabinet Member for Neighbourhoods, said: "Hackney now has one of the best recycling services in terms of the range of materials that can be collected. This has been developed progressively and in response to residents' expectations and developments in technology."

"It's important now that everyone uses the service to its full potential to help towards a cleaner and greener future."

New look Millfields

By
Gracia Douglas



Mayor Jules Pipe cuts the ribbon to open the depot on 23 September, he was joined by John Wheatley, Head of Waste Operations, guests and staff

Millfields Waste Depot has been officially opened by Mayor Jules Pipe as part of the Council's commitment to improve waste services in the borough.

The depot is on the site of the old Power Station in Millfields Road, Clapton, and was redeveloped following a £3.7million investment by the London Development Agency (LDA) in partnership with the Council.

Previously used for parking the Council's waste vehicles, the site now also has a fully accessible public office; waste transfer station; two-bay vehicle workshop; fuelling system; and new vehicle wash. Speaking at the event on 23 September,

worked hard to keep our waste services going and improving over the past 18 months.

"The redevelopment of the depot has been incredibly important for the Council, helping us to make the borough cleaner and greener while maximising benefits for our residents as we prepare for the 2012 Games and beyond."

The new office building was opened in March and

A living roof covered in turf, grass and wild flowers provides insulation, while reducing carbon dioxide

Mayor Pipe said: "Thank you to everyone who has

houses around 300 staff. Its sustainable features includes a living roof covered in turf, grass and wild flowers that provide insulation, while reducing carbon dioxide and improving air quality.

The depot also has a new CCTV security system and high-quality lighting system that minimises spillage towards the wildlife along the River Lea.

Over the last six months two new 12-tonne compact refuse collection vehicles, and five compact street sweepers have been introduced to the Council's waste services fleet of vehicles.

MORE INFO

For more details about waste services call: 020 8356 6688, or visit: www.hackney.gov.uk/environment-planning



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Black History Month
October 2009

Celebrating Black Culture and Achievement in Hackney

Visit www.hackney.gov.uk/black-history-month to find out about free events, activities and workshops taking place at Hackney Museum and libraries, archives and cultural venues across the borough.

SPECIAL EVENT: Growing Up Black:
An Exhibition of Photographs by Dennis Morris
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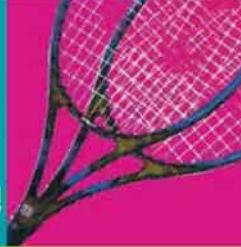
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Weather smiles on Hackney's fourth annual peace walk

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Walking for peace

The fourth annual Hackney walk for peace and reconciliation took place on 19 September and ended in London Fields

Picture: Matilda Dolson

By
Karyn Michael

N glorious afternoon sunshine, Hackney residents gave up an hour of their time to celebrate peace and reconciliation.

Mayor Jules Pipe, Speaker of Hackney Cllr Muttalip Unluer and representatives from many of the borough's diverse faith, youth and community groups were among the crowd that joined the fourth annual Hackney Peace Walk on 19 September.

Mayor Pipe and Cllr Unluer led walkers from Hackney Community College (HCC) to London Fields. They were welcomed by African Dance Group Emashi, who also drummed throughout the walk.

Addressing the crowd, Mayor Pipe said: "The role of our young people in this cannot be underestimated and I'm really pleased to see young people participating today."

"The T-shirts that some of the walkers are wearing were designed by young people from the Frampton Park Youth Club, who wanted to spread their

I'm really pleased to see young people participating today

positive message about peace in the borough."

The event, organised by Team Hackney, was part of the London Week of Peace.

There was a range of performances including singing, poetry and rap. Local artist Franklin Becks wrote a song dedicated to Peace Week, called 'My

Refugee'. Other performances included 19-year-old MC producer and songwriter Bamboos, and 12-year-old Jeorgina, who sang 'Hero' by Mariah Carey and 'The Climb' by Miley Cyrus.

The celebration continued at Hackney Empire where the Robert Levy Foundation staged performances and video productions from HCC students.

MORE INFO

www.weekofpeace.org.uk
For details of the Robert Levy Foundation visit: robertlevyfoundation.org



By **Gareth Mason**

WHERE were you when Usain Bolt won Olympic titles in world record times or Sebastian Coe and Steve Ovett duelled to be middle distance king of the world?

The search is on for locals with vivid memories of the Olympics to share on film for a project by artist Simon Pope. He will be



walking a marathon 26 miles on 7 November around the five host boroughs for the London 2012 Games. It is hoped that more than 100 people will

accompany Simon along stretches of the route sharing their Olympic memories. The Olympics have been held in London twice before – in 1908 and 1948 – so he would love to hear from some of our more senior residents.

Younger fans may recall more recent events around the world when their sporting heroes made history.

The project was commissioned by the Olympic Delivery Authority and funded by the London Development Agency and Arts Council.

If you are interested in getting involved, Simon is holding workshops on Monday 12 and 19 October, 7pm-9.30pm, and on Saturday 24 October, 11.30am-4.30pm. For venue details, e-mail: passthebaton@me.com

Walking down memory lane

NEWS IN BRIEF

Hotelier's smoking conviction

THE owner of a Stoke Newington hotel has been fined over £1,000 for flouting the smoking ban.

Murat Mehmet, from the Rose Hotel, Stoke Newington Road, N16, pleaded guilty to letting guests smoke in his establishment and smoking there himself.

Thames Magistrates Court heard that environmental health officers had visited the hotel in June 2007, when they told Mehmet about the new legislation, and the need to install no smoking signs. Yet when they returned on 26 February, they found he was breaking the law.

Mehmet pleaded guilty to his failure to prevent smoking in a smoke-free premises, and of smoking in a smoke-free place on 23 September. He received a £200 fine for each offence and was ordered to pay the Council's costs. The fine came to £1,273. Cllr Alan Laing, Cabinet Member for Neighbourhoods, said: "When we discover businesses that are not keeping their work-places safe from smoke, we will seek to prosecute."

Homes for Hackney

TWO developments that will bring new homes, business space and a hotel to the borough have been granted planning permission.

A hotel, office and retail space and student housing will be built on East Road, N11. The development will be virtually car free with six disabled parking bays and 379 secure cycle spaces.

Over 300 new homes will also be built on Wharf Road, N1, including 95 affordable properties and many three and four bedroom units. The development, which overlooks Wenlock Basin, will also include flexible business space.

Planning permission for both is subject to the developers agreeing a Section 106 agreement with the Council. This requires them to contribute towards community facilities, such as open space, new school places, libraries, and investing in streets and footpaths.

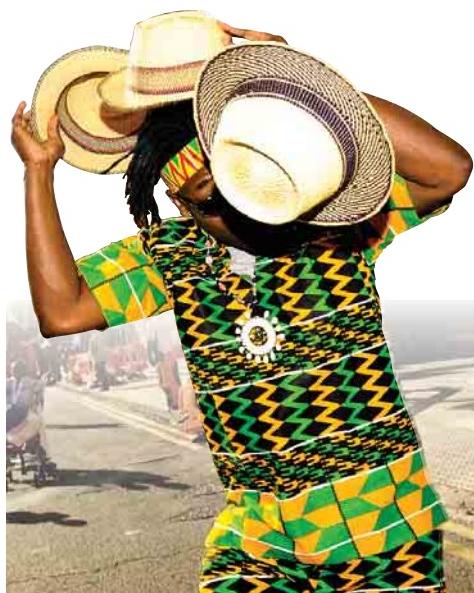
Cllr Guy Nicholson, Cabinet Member for Regeneration and the 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games, said: "These schemes show that during the economic downturn, investment in Hackney continues apace."

feature



Summer's final farewell

Clockwise from above: UK hip hop artist sway; Paralympian Dervis Konuralp with Council Chief Executive Tim Shield watch the wacky races; happy faces in the crowd; & Gahu Dramatic Arts



By

Marcel Reinard

The costumes dazzled and the sounds were in full force; even summer made one final appearance for Hackney One Carnival, as the borough welcomed 7,500 residents and visitors for a day of dancing.

Now in its second year, it showcased more than 850 performers from 16 Hackney carnival groups who paraded from the Town Hall on Mare Street to Hackney Downs.

The event on 27 September was created to celebrate arts and culture in the borough in the run-up to the 2012 Olympic

“The performances were colourful, energetic and exciting, and the Council is proud to support the amazing talent we have in Hackney”

and Paralympic Games.

MTV Base presenter Kat B mischievously compered the park stage, where carnival groups strutted with their costumes alongside performers voted for on the www.younghackney.org website. A headline



performance from MOBO award winner, UK hip-hop artist SWAY brought a close to the stage show.

Over in the park's sports section, others battled it out for bragging rights in a competition to find

Hackney's fastest man, woman and child, with traditional Olympic sports like the discus, shot putt and javelin also searching for the borough's best.

Tim Shields, Chief Executive of Hackney

7,500 local residents and visitors attended the carnival which is now in its second year

DID YOU KNOW?



Clockwise from above: Paraiso School of Samba; Kinetika; Peter Bedford; & Gahu Dramatic Arts

Council, said: "Hackney One Carnival is about everybody coming together to celebrate the diverse cultures that make our borough so special. It was fantastic to see so many residents lining the streets to watch the carnival procession and enjoying the events in Hackney Downs.

The performances were colourful, energetic and exciting, and the Council is proud to

support the amazing talent we have in Hackney."

Hackney One Carnival is organised by the Council's 2012 Unit with local carnival organisations. It aims to encourage

communities not usually involved in carnivals to share the experience alongside traditional groups.

MORE INFO

Find out more about Olympic related opportunities at: www.hackney.gov.uk/2012-games

KEY FACT

More than 850 performers from 16 carnival groups paraded from Hackney Town Hall to Hackney Downs to entertain 7,500 local residents and visitors

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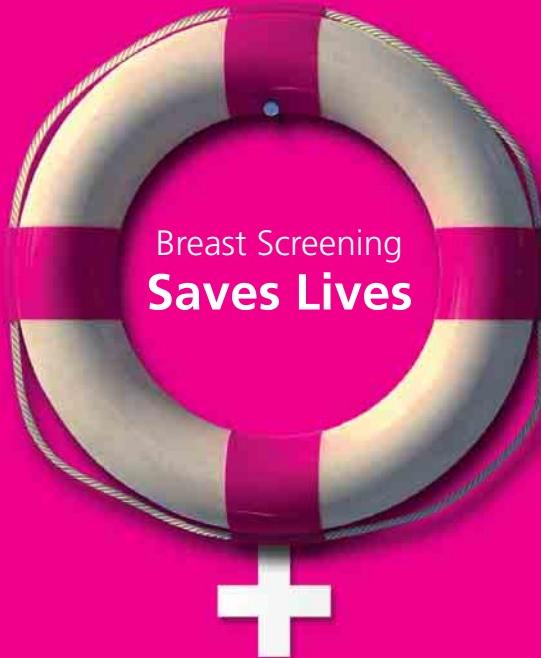
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hackney people

Prepared for the long haul

By

Nick Rutherford



GENERATIONS of people in Hackney have grown up to always be prepared – often thanks to the contribution of Phyllis Manning.

Now 79, the retired school teacher first became involved with the 14th St John at Hackney group when she was asked to 'help out with the Cubs' just after the Second World War.

More than 60 years later she is still there, helping teach them life's necessities such as how to cook, sew and build campfires – and still regularly taking them on camping trips.

Eleven years ago she was awarded an MBE for her services towards scouting, although she modestly shrugs off this achievement.

Now widowed and still living near the church from which the scouting group takes its name, what keeps her taking an active role in the organisation?

She explained: "I've always been interested in

children. That's the beginning and end of it."

Indeed, she has four grown up children of her own and her two sons were – perhaps not surprisingly – scouts themselves. She worked in teaching from 1950 when she started at St Thomas's Primary School near Clapton Common, before moving onto various schools in the borough and outside and finally retiring in the early 1990s from an advisory role at Haringey council.

Lieutenant General Robert Baden-Powell started The Scout Association in 1907 with the aim of supporting boys in their physical, mental and spiritual development and girls have been able to join since 1976.

There are now 38 million Scouts and Guides in 216 countries – with only Cuba, China, Korea, Andorra, Laos and Myanmar not being involved.

There are 33,000 people aged between six and 25 waiting to join the organisation in Britain, according to The Scout Association. And yet the popular belief is that

Picture: Gary Manhire



Phyllis Manning, MBE, was born and bred in Hackney and has been involved in the local scouting movement for over 60 years

membership is dying off. "There is more for children to do these days and more organisations which mirror the activities we do, such as going camping," Phyllis explained.

So what does she think are the benefits of scouting?

She said: "It gives children what they want and what they need.

"Gradually as they develop and grow older they need to grow away from their family and become members of teams and this gives them that

opportunity. Also, children love to learn, although if you ask them that about school they might not agree. But if we take them to camp, show them how to light a fire or put up a tent, or even do a lot of the things they do at school, reading for instance, they will enjoy it more because we have different ways of putting things over and making it more fun."

Speaking about her long years in Hackney she explains: "It's an amazing area. There are tremendous libraries. We've got



more parks than any of the other London boroughs. If you want to go anywhere – be it for entertainment, sport or anything else – you can get to it from here easily. The people are mixed, very interesting and lovely."

MORE INFO

To find your nearest Scout group call: 0845 300 1818 or visit: www.scouts.org.uk

Curriculum Vitae Phyllis Manning

1930	Born in Hackney
1946	Started helping the 14th St John at Hackney scout group
1948	Teacher training in Coventry
1950	Started teaching at St Thomas's Primary, Clapton, since closed
1992	Retired from Haringey council
1998	MBE for services to scouting

greenmatters



THE GREEN GENIE

All your recycling questions answered

Q: I was pleased to read in the last Hackney Today (issue 216) that I can now recycle cartons and plastic packaging, but I'm concerned my Green Box is not big enough. What should I do?

A: It's great to hear that you are pleased with the Council's service improvements.

For residents with a Green Box collection, there are a number of options available to make sure you can recycle everything produced during the week.

- Order another Green Box. They are free of charge and delivered to your door. They can be stacked when not in use to save space and are made of 100 per cent recycled plastic.
- Place extra materials in a plastic bag or cardboard box next to your Green Box clearly marked as recycling. These will then be collected as well. Do not use black refuse bags, however.
- Try to separate similar materials within the box. Plastic bags can be used for this, as they are also recycled.

To order a new, or replacement, Green Box call the recycling hotline on: 020 8356 6688, or e-mail: recycling@hackney.gov.uk.

MORE INFO

To ask the Genie a question, which will be answered in Hackney Today, e-mail: recycling@hackney.gov.uk, or write to: Green Genie, Recycling, 2nd Floor, 263 Mare Street, E8 3HT. For more information on recycling in the borough call: 020 8356 6688, or visit: www.hackney.gov.uk/recycling



Pictures: Gary Marnie

Green for a day

The car park on Whiston & Goldsmiths Estate was turned green for a day – as part of European Mobility Week – to encourage people to think of alternative uses for them

By
Gracia Douglas

Residents from Whiston and Goldsmiths Estate turned out in force to enjoy the relaxed atmosphere – of their car park.

The Green for a Day event included free bike check ups, films, gardening



demonstrations and games for children.

The event – part of European Mobility Week from 16 to 22 September – aimed to encourage people to look at spaces set aside for parking and to think about alternative uses for them. It also provided advice for residents who want to give up their cars.

“It was a wonderful day,” said Doreen Emerick, Secretary and Joint Chair of the Haggerston estate’s Tenants and Residents

Association. “Everyone who participated got something from the groundbreaking event that I hope will be repeated

here and right across the borough,” she added.

The event was organised with the help of two young architects Marie Perin and Grégoire Barraud from TICArchitecture along with the Council and Hackney Homes.

Cllr Alan Laing, Cabinet Member for Neighbourhoods, said: “Sustainable transport is a top priority for the Council because we know that our residents are concerned about carbon emissions, congestion and parking in the borough.

“I’m pleased that we can support people to make greener travel choices.”

MORE INFO

For info about greener travel visit: www.hackney.gov.uk/movegreener

Lending a hand in the garden

A GROUP of volunteers took up their tools to transform the garden of a local woman with multiple sclerosis.

E5 resident Raeanne said: “The transformation is amazing. I’ve never been able to go into my garden before, it means the world to me.”

Housing association Family Mosaic launched its Garden Bank pilot

project at Raeanne’s overgrown garden on 18 September.

Cllr Sophie Linden, Cabinet Member for Sustainability, was there to meet volunteers and congratulate them on the difference they make in the community.

Garden Bank’s team help sick or disabled Family Mosaic tenants to maintain their gardens.

The idea came about after the housing association received enquiries from tenants with gardens who could not manage their upkeep; and was also contacted by other tenants who wanted to do some gardening, but did not have gardens of their own.

Family Mosaic is searching for more green-fingered volunteers who are willing to offer a

couple of hours each week, as a further 60 residents need similar assistance. All volunteers are rewarded once they have carried out 25, 50, 75 and 100 hours of community work.

MORE INFO

Call: 020 7089 1000; or e-mail: gemma.mcgrath@familymosaic.co.uk





To order your Green Box, e-mail:
recycling@hackney.gov.uk

JOIN
IN

Learning about birds and bats

By Kate Gibney

A SERIES of events on Pembury Estate, E8, will see residents getting together to create a haven for Cockney sparrows – and bats.

Peabody housing association, which manages the estate, has teamed up with London Wildlife Trust to involve residents, schools and community groups in activities to raise awareness of their environment.

Work will include planting hedgerow species such as hawthorn and blackthorn to

create a bird habitat; grasses and flowers to attract the aphids, caterpillars and weevils for birds to feed on; and workshops to make bat and bird boxes; as well as visits to wildlife reserves and green spaces.

The estate's PETRA Community Centre will be the meeting point for all the events, and is also the pick-up point for a guided walk and bird watch trip to Rainham Marshes' RSPB reserve.

London Wildlife Trust's Cockney Sparrow project officer and Hackney

resident Mark Pearson will be on hand to talk about urban birds at a session on 21 November; and guest Ed Santry from the Bat Conservation Trust Ed will be giving a presentation about how to help urban bats on 8 November.

Two practical sessions on 29 November and 19 December will offer residents a chance to get their hands dirty. Mark is also looking for volunteers to guide to project.

MORE INFO

Call: 07971 077 084;
e-mail: mpearson@wildlondon.org.uk; or visit:
www.wildlondon.org.uk/cockneysparrow



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Hackney Help Points

We understand that finding the right organisation to help meet your needs can sometimes be confusing and time consuming.

This National Customer Service Week (5-11 October) help is at hand at Hackney Help Points.

Over 60 public and voluntary services are providing Help Points, including libraries, health centres and children's centres.

Staff will:

- Use the internet to find out basic information about the organisation you need
- Provide a telephone number or make a call for you
- Help you locate the organisation

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Call **David Roberts** on 020 8356 2416; david.roberts@hackney.gov.uk; or **Lee Ray** on 020 8356 3445; lee.ray@hackney.gov.uk



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Have your say on the future of North London's waste

The North London Waste Plan will identify the sites which are most suitable for new waste facilities and set out planning policies to guide all future waste developments. A draft Plan has now been produced and we want to hear your views on it. We would like to hear your views on the draft plan during a six-week period running from 14th October 2009.

To find out more, and to have your say, come to one of seven drop-in sessions in October and November 2009. All drop-in sessions will be open between 2.00-8.00pm.

- 14th October / Green Living Centre, 222 Upper Street, Islington N1 1XR
- 19th October / The Score Centre, 100 Oliver Road, Leyton E10 5JY
- 20th October / Ocean, 270 Mare Street, Hackney E8 1HE
- 22nd October / Hendon Town Hall, The Burroughs, NW4 4BG
- 2nd November / Haringey Civic Centre, High Road, Wood Green N22 8LE
- 3rd November / Camden Centre, Bidborough Street, Kings Cross WC1H 9AU
- 10th November / The Artzone, 54-56 Market Square, Edmonton Green Shopping Centre, N9 0TZ

Copies of the Preferred Options report together with supporting technical documents can be downloaded from the project website (www.nlwp.net). Paper copies are available to view at Hackney Planning Services, 263 Mare Street, London E8 3HT and libraries in the borough.

You can send your responses to the questions in the draft plan by completing the questionnaire at the back of the report or complete the questionnaire online at www.nlwp.net. You can send general comments by email to feedback@nlwp.net or in writing to Archie Onslow at Camden Town Hall, Argyle Street, London WC1H 8EQ. All responses must be received by 24th November 2009.

To find out more visit www.nlwp.net or call Archie Onslow on 020 7974 5916.



This page was compiled with the help of The Learning Trust & local schools



Golden tickets are brandished by young film fans as part of the promotion for National Schools Film Week which runs from 13 to 23 October

Film week freebies

All stories by
Marcel Reinard

SCHOOLS are being given a 'golden ticket' to the cinema to promote the use of film as a teaching tool.

As part of National Schools Film Week (NSFW), from 13 to 23 October, teachers and

students have the opportunity to see an assortment of films at the Rio cinema in Dalston for free. Organisers said the programme focuses on 'creativity and diversity' and will feature a range of films – both current and classic – that address challenging issues from different viewpoints from around the world.

NSFW director, Nick Walker, said: "The week

reflects the growing stature of world cinema and the ever increasing hunger from teachers for films from around the globe to give their students windows into new worlds and cultures previously unknown to them."

Now in its 14th year, the festival also aims to support classroom teaching by providing schools with an experience for pupils that links

directly with areas of the curriculum.

The festival is free to any school that signs up. Current participating Hackney schools include Petchey, Lauriston, Princess May Primary and Tyssen Community.

MORE INFO

For details visit:
www.nsfw.org, and
www.filmeducation.org

Free lunch for a year!

THE School Food Trust is giving 50 parents the chance to win free, healthy school lunches for one child for a full school year.

In conjunction with the launch of the 'Little Book of Goodness', which has been developed to offer parents advice on school meals, the Trust is offering free school dinners to increase their uptake. Details of how to enter the competition are enclosed in the booklet.

More than 750,000 parents and guardians across England will receive a copy, which can be requested by contacting their children's school.

Prue Leith, School Food Trust chair, said: "We want to take the pressure off parents and make sure they have all the information they need to make the right meal choice for their child. That's why we created the 'Little Book of Goodness'

– to help ease this process for parents and hopefully put some of their anxieties to rest.

"School meals are now the healthiest they've ever been. But many parents still don't realise that choosing school dinners really is the best way to make sure their children are getting the nutrients they need to help them learn and succeed."



MORE INFO

Find out more by visiting:
www.schoolfoodtrust.org.uk

NEWS IN BRIEF



Aspirational thinking encouraged at the LSE

Black to the future at LSE

THE London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE) has invited young black Hackney people to its college for an event to promote higher education and top-level career avenues.

As part of Black History Month, the college is set to produce a series of free workshops to discuss aspirational thinking, such as the definition of success, how to set goals – and achieve them – as individuals.

In addition, there will be speakers addressing parenting issues such as supporting children through the educational process.

Elly Hobson, LSE's Widening Participation & Community Engagement Manager, said: "It's important to endorse and demystify post-16 options to students so that they can make the right decisions for themselves and their education."

The Black to the Future conference will take place on Saturday, 10 October, in the New Academic Building at The London School of Economics from 10am to 4pm. It is open to students (aged 13-16) from London as well as their families, teachers and youth group leaders. For more info visit: www.black-to-the-future.co.uk

New diploma

More than 30 students from Cardinal Pole Catholic School and Hackney Community College are the first in the



borough to enrol on the advanced level of a new qualification that offers an alternative to GCSEs and 'A' levels. The diploma in Society, Health & Development focuses on the health, children's services, community justice and adult social care

sectors. As well as acting as a stepping stone for further education, the course can also lay the foundation for careers in social work, counselling and educational psychology. Diplomas were rolled out nationwide last year. Speaking at an induction session, run by Inspire!, Breanna Dunne, 16, from Cardinal Pole, said: "I chose the diploma because I would like to work with children, but I don't know exactly how yet. This seems to open up so many different career pathways for you."

For more info, visit: www.shd.skillsforhealth.org.uk

Changes to Housing Benefit and Council Tax Benefit

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From November 2009, we will not use the total amount of Child Benefit you receive when we work out your Housing Benefit and Council Tax Benefit.

This will mean:

- you could receive more Housing Benefit and Council Tax Benefit; and
- if you previously didn't qualify for Housing Benefit and Council Tax Benefit, you may qualify from November 2009, as long as you still receive Child Benefit.



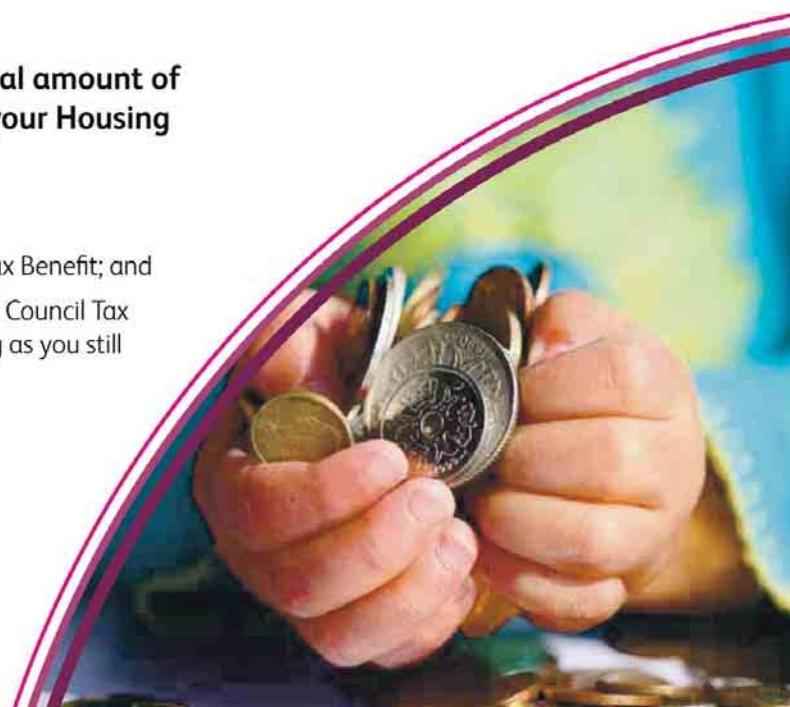
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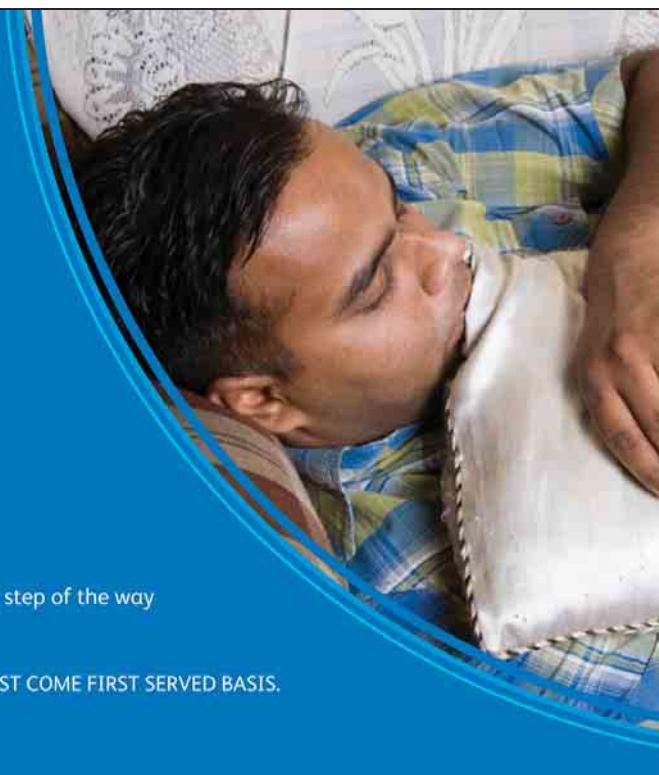
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Email: benefits.callcentre@hackney.gov.uk

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TOP FIVE

There's so much to do in and around Hackney. From theatre to club nights, art exhibitions to community events. Here's our pick of what's on this fortnight:

HACKNEY STREET PHOTOGRAPHS

Snapshots of the borough over the last 30 years

► See Art & Exhibitions

GROW N4

Get gardening advice and find out about local projects

► See Courses

YOGA IN THE PARK

Multi-level Hatha yoga classes on London Fields

► See Health, Fitness & Sport

AWALE

A band combining Ethiopian funk and Eastern European sounds

► See Nightlife

STYLE & SUBSTANCE

Female performers take the stage for a night of poetry and songs as part of Black History Month

► See Theatre & Live Entertainment

ART & EXHIBITIONS

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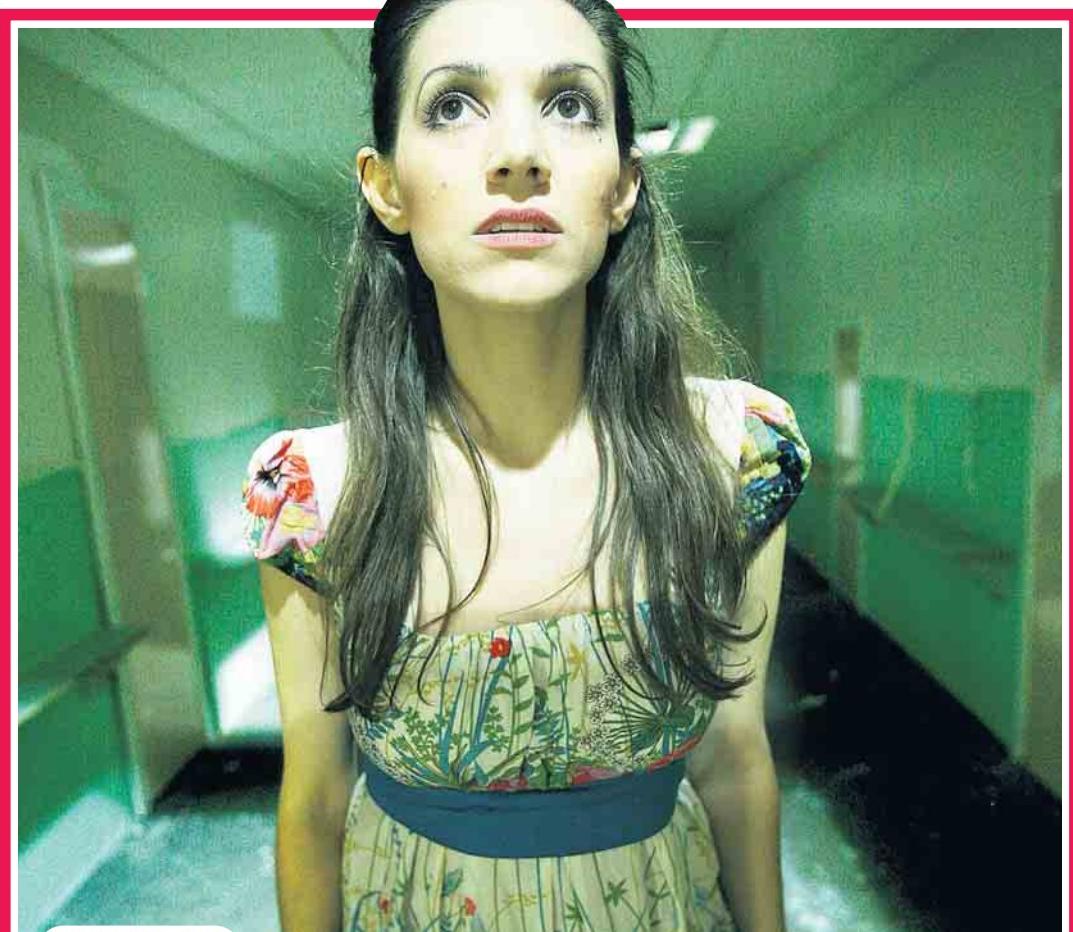
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PREVIEW

It Felt Empty When The Heart Went At First But It Is Alright Now

Arcola Theatre, 7-31 October

"I know exactly how much I am worth. I am worth 1000 Euros because that is how much Babac paid for me. To put this in easy language, that is like two and a half iPhones."

So is the bittersweet outlook of Dijana Polanee: romantic, eternal optimist and prostitute. Sex-trafficked to London by her boyfriend, Dijana keeps a grip on her plans for the future as she shares her hopes, disappointments, ambition and humour with the audience.

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NIGHTLIFE



HEALTH, FITNESS & SPORT



Right:
photos of
Hackney
life, 1978-
2008.



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CONFESIONS OF A RECOVERING DATA COLLECTOR LAUNCH

8 Oct, 7-9pm

Book launch of Ellie Harrison's, 'Confessions Of A Recovering Data Collector', in which it explains how she broke from her obsessions and improved her artistry. 129-131 Mare St, E8. £5. Info:

laura@spacestudios.org.uk; www.ellieharrison.com



PHOTO-SOUP AT THE BUNKER

6-14 Oct, 12-6pm

A photography exhibition aiming to change the focus of contemporary art to reconnect it to a wider audience - and not just the art world. The Bunker, Abbot St (car park end), E8.

Info: 07946 664 331; c_saladen@hotmail.com; www.photo-soup.org

Competition

Win two tickets to The Metro Ski and Snowboard Show at Olympia (21-25 October)

With only months before the ski season kicks in, indulge in the alpine experience at one of the world's largest consumer winter sports shows. Expect gravity defying tricks and turns when some of the world's best snowboarders and skiers battle it out for big air in the enthralling 40ft kicker competition. This year, the event also has a ski academy, an indoor area with real snow, après ski entertainment and a winter sports fashion show. Experts will also be on hand to give inspirational talks and guidance for those after their first runs of the winter. The Metro Ski and Snowboard show takes place between 21-25 October 2009.



To be in with a chance of winning send a postcard to Hackney Today, Communications, Hackney Town Hall, Mare St, E8 1EA. Or email: htnews@hackney.gov.uk by 12 noon, 12 October. Winners will be picked out of a hat.

WIN!!

THE JOHN AKII-BUA STORY: AN AFRICAN TRAGEDY

15 Oct, 7.30pm

At the Munich Olympics of 1972, John Akii-Bua became the first African to win gold in an event under 800 metres. This is the story about that amazing triumph and what happened next: John Akii Bua returned to Uganda carving the name of its military 'President' Idi Amin into genocidal notoriety. Rich Mix, 35-47 Bethnal Green Rd, E1.

Info: 020 7613 7498; info@richmix.org.uk; www.richmix.org.uk



ODEON

Away we Go, (15); Aliens in the Attic (PG); Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs (U); District 9 (15); Dorian Gray (15); Driving Aphrodite (12A); Fame (PG); Gamer (18); Inglourious Basterds (18); Pandorum (15); Sorority Row (15); Surrogates (12A); The Firm (18); The Invention of Lying (12A); The Soloist (12A); Toy Story 3D (PG). Odeon Cinema, Lee Valley Leisure Complex, Picketts Lock Lane, N9. Info: 08712 244 007; www.odeon.co.uk

RICH MIX

The Soloist (12A); Soleil O (15); Touki Bouki (15); Rich Mix, 35-47 Bethnal Green Road, E1. Info: 020 7613 7498; info@richmix.org.uk; www.richmix.org.uk

ISLINGTON VUE

500 Days of Summer (12A); Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs; Creation (PG); District 9 (15); Fame (PG); Inglourious Basterds (18); Julie and Julia (12A); Surrogates (12A); The Invention of Lying (12A); The Soloist (12A); Toy Story 3D (PG). Islington Vue, Parkfield St, N1. Info: 08712 240 240; www.myvue.com



RIO

The Army of Crime (15); Aliens in the Attic (PG); Syncedocne, New York (15); Le Donk & Scor-Zay-Zee (15). Rio Cinema, 107 Kingsland High St, E8. Info: 020 7241 9410; mail@riocinema.org.uk; www.riocinema.ndirect.co.uk



GROW N4

10 Oct, 2-5pm

A family event teaching how to grow from cuttings, build a wooden planter, get gardening advice and information, and find out about Transition Finsbury Park's growing projects 'Watch the Power of Community' and 'Eat the Suburbs'. North London Central Mosque, 7-11 St Thomas' Rd, N4. Info: info@transitionfinsburypark.org.uk; www.transitionfinsburypark.org.uk/events

AUTUMN PROPAGATION

12 Oct, 10am-3pm

Learn about and get hands-on practice with hardwood cuttings, division, autumn pruning and maintenance. Feel free to bring your own gardening queries and questions. If you can, bring your own secateurs and a packed lunch. St Mary's Secret Garden, 50 Pearson St, E2. £20. Info: 020 7739 2965; www.stmaryssecretgarden.org.uk/Education.htm; info@stmarysgarden.org.uk.

PQASSO, GET YOUR QUALITY STANDARD

13 Oct

This four-day course will give you an overview of Practical Quality Assurance System for Small Organisations (PQASSO) through practical sessions so that you may begin to work towards implementing the system. The course is designed as a two-day taster session followed by a two-day training course. HCVS, 84 Springfield House, 5 Tyssen St, E8. Info: 020 7923 1962; yerima@hcv.org.uk; www.hcv.org.uk/en/pages/training/tts_pqasso.aspx

HACKNEY DRUM CIRCLE

Every first Sun of the month, 12-2pm

Rediscover your natural rhythm at this informal and friendly monthly drum circle, suitable for all ages and abilities. There are tablas, djembes, frame drums and maracas to borrow, or bring your own. St John-at-Hackney Church, Lower Clapton Rd, E5. Info: HeartofHackney@googlemail.com

FLUTE LESSONS

Fun, enthusiastic and experienced flute teacher offering private flute tuition. Also teaches piccolo, theory and aural skills. All ages and standards welcome. £15/£25. Info: 07950 682 181; rosannaterberg@hotmail.co.uk



ALEXANDER TECHNIQUE INTRO COURSE

10-24 Oct, 10am-12.30pm

Introduction to the Alexander Technique; find out about how it can help you with problems such as repetitive strain injury, back pain and stress, plus help improve your performance and quality of life. Small group so you need to book in advance. 13 Aden Grove, N16. Info: 020 7254 9206; alextech@hilarystking.net; www.hilarystking.net

PILATES COURSE FOR BEGINNERS, IMPROVERS AND INTERMEDIATE

Until 6 Nov

This course will take you from the first steps to a real understanding of the principles and fundamentals of the Pilates method, also classes for those ready for the next level. SPACE, Hackney Community College, 31 Falkirk St, N1. Six-week course, £40. Info: 07857 267 619; info@gopilates.org.uk; www.gopilates.org.uk



YOGA IN THE PARK

17 Oct-28 Nov, 9.30-10.45am Hatha yoga class in the beautiful outdoors, suitable for all levels, including beginners. London Fields, E8. Per class, £7. Info: pam@pama-yoga.com; www.pama-yoga.com

AFFORDABLE ACUPUNCTURE CLINIC

Every Fri, until 18 Dec, 2.20-5.30pm

Acupuncture can be very useful for many conditions including back, neck and shoulder pain and other musculo-skeletal problems, also insomnia, anxiety and

stress. Private initial consultation and treatment in a relaxing multi-bed clinic. All women welcome. Sunstone Women's Health, 16 Northwold Rd, N16. Info: 07939 533 239; dianetimewell@yahoo.co.uk; www.dianetimewell.co.uk

QI YOGA

Every Tues, 8.15-9.15pm
Qi Yoga classes combine hatha yoga with chi gong for a detoxifying, refreshing and nourishing practice. All levels welcome. Oxford House, Derbyshire St, E2. Info: 07789 910 694; heidi@qiyoga.org.uk; www.qiyoga.org

PILATES FOR OVER 50S

Every Thurs
Pilates helps to strengthen muscles and improve posture, balance, gait and suppleness, thus reducing the risk of falls related accidents. 50yrs+. For beginners. Dalston Methodist Church, 11 Richmond Rd, E8. Info: 020 7923 8690; nazmun-khanam@thesharpend.org.uk; www.thesharpend.org.uk

BABY YOGA

Every Fri, 10.30-11.20am
Baby yoga is a joint practice between you and your baby; it's a lovely way to move and play together. Classes provide babies with a variety of gentle exercises, movements, rhythm and song. Classes include gentle yoga and exercises for parents to improve fitness. For babies from 12 weeks to around 12 months. Buggies and Bikes, Broadway Market, E8. Five-week course £45; per class, £10. Info: 07721 610 574; suzie@soothe-me.com; www.soothe-me.com/baby

WEIGHT LOSS CAMP

Every Sat and Sun

Do you want to lose weight and feel fitter than ever? Do creative boxing and kicking activities that are fun and sociable. London Fields Lido, London Fields (west side), E8. £200 for 24 sessions. 25-50yrs. Info: 07809 575 299; info@fitinfitness.co.uk; www.fitinfitness.co.uk

FREE CAPOEIRA EXPERIENCE

Every Tues, until 17 Nov
Capoeira comes from the

streets of Brazil and is now a growing culture worldwide. East London Capoeira Group and Project Gem are offering a free 10-week capoeira course for 11-19 year olds. Geffrye Community Centre, Falkirk St, N1. Info: 07779 031 273; fantasma35@hotmail.com; www.capoeira.co.uk

**TRADITIONAL KARATE**

Every Tues, 6.30-8.45pm
Learn Okinawan Goju Ryu Karate; personal tuition, after-school clubs and curricular sessions. Graded students to absolute beginners welcome. First lesson free, family discounts available. Open to individuals with learning and/or physical disabilities.

4yrs+. Carrie Young Community Centre, Cranston Estate, off Mintern St, N1. Info: 0203 231 1058; dentohkaratenorth@hotmail.co.uk; www.dentoh.net; www.giftmartialarts.net

RUNNING FOR 10K

Every Tues, 7.30-8.30pm
Do you enjoy running? Why not join the group Run Hackney? Both men and women welcome; eligibility is 10k in one hour. London Fields (west gate), Lido Cafe, E8. Free. Info: 07809 575299; muratgencem@yahoo.co.uk

**NIGHTLIFE**

APPLES AND ORANGES PRESENTS
8 Oct, 8pm

Psychedelic pop night with Still Corners, The Silver Abduction and There's More of Us Than There Are Of You in one of Stoke Newington's favourite basements. Barden's Boudoir, 36-44 Stoke Newington Rd, N16. £5. Info: 020 7249 9557; info@bardenbsoudoir.co.uk; www.bardenbsoudoir.co.uk

LOVE BITES

9 Oct, 10pm-2am

On The Rocks finds the happy medium between retro and old school and whisks liberally in a bowl of 1980s synth. On the Rocks, 25-27 Kingsland Road, E2. £5. Info: 020 7688 0339

KENNY WHEELER

12 Oct, 8.30pm

Trumpeter and composer Kenny Wheeler has long been one of the most respected voices on his instrument – a true innovator and an influential presence on the modern music scene. Blessed with an astounding range and full tone, Wheeler sounds equally at home in fiery free jazz explorations or softer, more lyrical post-bop meditations. Vortex Jazz Club, 11 Gillett Sq, N16. Info: 020 7254 4097; www.vortexjazz.co.uk

**BEATS IN SPACE 10TH ANNIVERSARY**

16 Oct, 10pm

New York radio show Beats in Space celebrates its 10th year in London. Founder Tim Sweeney stays tied to the decks for the night. Plastic People, 147-149 Curtain Rd, EC2. Info: 020 7739 6471; info@plasticpeople.co.uk; www.plasticpeople.co.uk

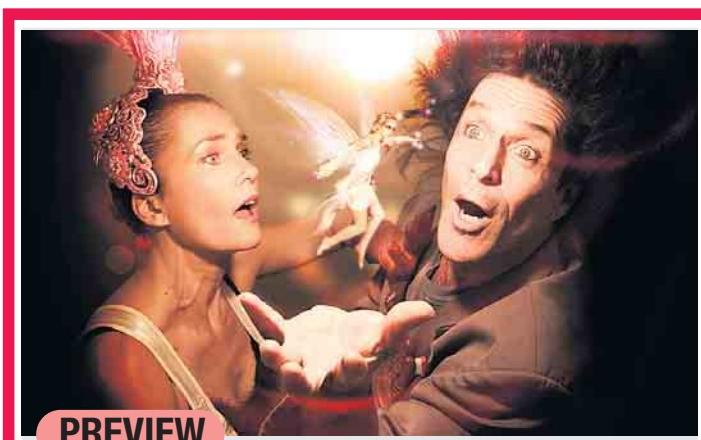
AWALÉ

16 Oct, 8.30pm-1.30am
AWALÉ is a brand of Afro-Gypsy beat brewed in London. Like the African game the band is named after, the music is played in turns and cycles, creating original grooves, echoing Ethiopian funk, afro-beat, Eastern Europe or minimalism in a polyrhythmic stew. Pangea Project, 72 Stamford Hill, N16. £3. Info: 07841 595 058; rose@pangeaproject.co.uk; www.myspace.com/awale; www.pangeaproject.co.uk

GALVANISED FESTIVAL

16-17 Oct, 7pm

Galvanised Festival, now in its third year, is a celebration of experimental sounds and ideas within composition. The festival

**PREVIEW****Popcorn Club Cabaret**

By Marcel Reinard

If Eddie Izzard is calling you 'the most dangerously funny man on the planet', chances are you're on to a winner or have the stage persona of a nonsensical loon. Whichever way, Chris Lynam, with professional partner Kate McKenzie, has received a grand introduction from critics for the lead up to Pop Club Cabaret, the upcoming show at Rich Mix.

The duo will compere a night of variety from every corner of the globe, if the world was a twisted beast with a penchant for popcorn. So ladies and gentlemen, boys and girls, prepare for the sublime and the grotesque, the conserved and the chaotic, and somebody doing something very dangerous with fireworks - the circus is coming to town. Popcorn Club Cabaret takes place at Rich Mix on 16 October, 20 November and 11 December. For more info call: 020 7613 7496, or visit: www.richmix.org.uk

offers an arena to explore key ideas in art/music. For two days the event looks at very different approaches and ways of making intricate music - from the brash compositions of jazz and math rock to the free noise and stretched music of psyche-rock and more. Café Oto, 18-22 Ashwin St, E8. Info: info@cafeoto.co.uk; www.cafeoto.co.uk

**THEATRE & LIVE ENTERTAINMENT****STYLE AND SUBSTANCE**

6 Oct, 8-11:30pm

For Black History Month, there will be a mix of culturally inspiring acts showcasing the best new entertainers from poets to singers, comedians to DJs but with one twist: female performers only. Bringing together and celebrating emerging female talent in aid of female causes. Donations to Actionaid. Hosted by Miss Pangea Project, 72 Stamford

London. 145 Shoreditch High St, E1. £8/£6. Info: 07837 180 048; 07961 055 938; events_sistova@pangeaproject.co.uk; sistovaproductions@hotmail.co.uk; www.myspace.com/sistova_events

BEAP: THE LONDON SNORKELLING TEAM

8 Oct, 7.30pm

The London Snorkelling Team are a Sci-fi Cartoon Jazz Quartet that write and perform music they imagine happened in the 1950s. The Perrett brothers provide live animation for each track. Bishopsgate Institute, 230 Bishopsgate, EC2M. £7/£5. Info: 020 7392 9220; events@bishopsgate.org.uk; www.bishopsgate.org.uk/events

NO WRONG ANSWERS QUIZ

8 Oct, 7.30-11pm

A battle of wits and one liners, the quiz features a moral dilemma round, alternative lyrics, drawing and more. Pangea Project, 72 Stamford

Hill, N16. Per person, £1. Info: 07841 595 058; rose@pangeaproject.co.uk; www.pangeaproject.co.uk

JAZZ JAM WITH ROSANNA SCHURA

11 Oct, 8-11.30pm

Jazz jam session with bass and piano. Singer-songwriter Rosanna Schura presents a seamless blend of covers from various genres with a contemporary jazz feel. Pangea Project, 72 Stamford Hill, N16. Info: 07841 595 058; rose@pangeaproject.co.uk; www.pangeaproject.co.uk

KEN WORPOLE

14 Oct, 7-8.30pm

Illustrated talk by local writer Ken Worpole about his new book, Modern Hospice Design, with a contribution by Michael Kerin, Chief Executive of St Josephs Hospice. Pages of Hackney, 70 Lower Clapton Rd, E5. £3. Info: 020 8525 1452; eleanor@pagesofhackney.co.uk; www.pagesofhackney.co.uk

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REVIEW

Tent London

By Jonathan Lyons

On a gorgeous autumn day, it was the perfect time to sit upon my designer Brompton and pedal down to Tent London: a multi-discipline design show featuring some of the best in vintage and contemporary design. It took place at the warehouse styled Truman Brewery in Shoreditch's Brick Lane and offered an interesting space for designers to showcase their work. Coming from a design background myself, I was really impressed with the innovation in both the use of exhibition space and actual

products that were on display. There was a great mix of digital, product and textile design and a wealth of new blood showcasing their wares. Following a small and personal display format added to the event's character – and the feeling that the participating designers had contributed a lot of passion and time to their ideas. If I had to choose a favourite, I would be biased and go for some of the digital installations – as a digital designer myself – because they were innovative, interactive and really quite fun to play with. It's great to see such creativity and dedication in design and it's only fitting that it be displayed within such a creative hub.

ARMAN PIANO TRIO

18 Oct, 3-4.45pm

Internationally renowned trio play Haydn's Trio in E minor, Beethoven's 'Ghost' Trio and the Trio in G minor by Chausson. 2-4 Sutton House, Homerton High St, E9. £10/£7. Info: 07505 609 757; lilian.wilson@gmail.com; www.shms.org.uk

ADAM GLASSER JAZZ QUARTET

18 Oct, 8-11.30pm

Virtuoso harmonica player Adam Glasser leads his quartet playing modern jazz and South African township standards. Pangea Project, 72 Stamford Hill, N16. Info: 07841 595 058; rose@pangeaproject.co.uk; www.pangeaproject.co.uk

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YOUNG PEOPLE

CHIT CHAT DRAMA CLASSES

Every Tues, until 1 Dec, 5.30-7.30pm

Drama classes for children. Two age groups; one hour each class. 8-14 yrs. Term time only. Info: 07956 183 509; jo.creeese@blueyonder.co.uk

BOOKS ALIVE

Every Thurs, until 8 Oct

Storytelling and book reading course for parents and carers of children aged three to eight. Discover fun ways to enjoy books with children. Learn how

to make simple puppets, books and musical instruments and learn good questions to ask your children while reading with them. Free creche for under 5s. Morningside Nursery, Chatham Place, E9. Free. Info: 07957 386 445; seanine.joyce@virgin.net

WORD CLASSIC

Every Mon, until February 2010, 4.30-6pm

A series of children's literature and music appreciation workshops to improve the reading and develop the music skills of 5-11 year olds. Parent participation essential. Term time only. The Trinity Centre, Beechwood Rd, Dalston. Free. Info: 020 7249 6061; trinitycentrehello@tiscali.co.uk

BLACK HISTORY MONTH

Until 31 October

Black History Month is an annual celebration of the contribution that Black African and Caribbean communities have made both on a local level and across the globe. This year's programme is extremely varied including the hidden history of black classical musicians and exploration of the contribution of the African-Caribbean and Chinese community through their archives. Hackney Museum, Mare St, E9. Info: 020 8510 7773

MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR BEREAVED PARENTS

9 Oct, 7pm

Annual service held for parents and families of babies who have died during or soon after birth. Bereavement midwives and chaplains will be holding the seventh annual candle-lit baby memorial service. Education Centre, Homerton Hospital, Homerton Row, E9. Info: 020 8510

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BUDDHISM AND THE SCIENCE OF HAPPINESS

9 Oct, 7.15-9pm

'Buddhism and the Science of Happiness' is a public lecture by William Woolard, former presenter of 'Top Gear' and 'Tomorrow's World' and author of 'The Reluctant Buddhist'. Followed by Q&A and entertainment. 18-22 Shackwell Lane, E8. Free. Info: 07852 917 269; michaelisaac204@hotmail.com

THE BIG DRAW: FAMILY EVENT WITH FREYA POCKLINGTON

10 Oct, 11am

As part of the UK-wide 'Big Draw' event, artist Freya Pocklington will be working with families to create a playground of ideas where participants can communicate and explore the themes of ecology and man's interaction with nature through art. 7-15 yrs. Parasol Unit, 14 Wharf Rd, N1. Info: 020 7490 7373; asha@parasol-unit.org; www.parasol-unit.org

FAMILY COURT OPEN DAY

10 Oct, 10am-4pm

The Family Court at Stratford deals with child welfare cases from the Hackney area and is holding a public open day. Members of the community are invited to visit the court to see how the family court serves the community. The open day is free and booking is not required. Magistrates' Court, 389-397 High St, 7 Rusbridge Close, E15. Info: info@goodfellowcommunications.com

GREAT BIG ENERGY SAVING LIGHT BULB GIVEAWAY

Until 18 Dec, Tues-Thurs

Free energy saving light bulbs to giveaway, offered to all residents in Hackney. Each box has two light bulbs, two boxes available per person. Telephone prior to visit.

Dalston Methodist Church, Richmond Road, E8. Info: 020 7923 8690; nazmun-khanam@thesharpend.org.uk; www.thesharpend.org.uk

what's on

Important information for submissions

What's On has changed its submissions system.

You should fill in an e-form on our website by visiting: www.hackney.gov.uk/whatson

This is the way to submit your event listing for publishing in Hackney Today and on the Council's website. Please see the guidance notes on the website for further information.

We reserve the right to edit any material. No submission is guaranteed a listing.

Competitions

In edition 216 Hackney Today offered readers a chance to win tickets to the London Cycle Show.

The lucky winners are Laura Leo, N16; Matthew King, N16; Donna Shaw, E5; Peter Walford, N4; and Phillipa Lloyd, E2.



BIKE MAINTENANCE

Every Thurs, until 5 Nov

Bring along your own bike or use one of the Blue Huts for this three-week maintenance course. Blue Hut, 49 Provost St, N1. Free. 13-19yrs. Info: 020 7729 6970; info@skyway.uk.com; www.skyway.uk.com

GREEN SUNDAYS

Every first Sunday of the month, 3-7.30pm

A meeting place for people and minds, Green Sundays is a monthly event providing an opportunity for the ecologically curious to explore environmental issues in a relaxed and fun forum through live music, film, spoken word, games and discussions. Arcola Theatre, Arcola Street, E8. Free. Info: 07809 561 782 www.greensundays.org.uk; anneccarroll@hotmail.co.uk

ST AUGUSTINE'S TOWER OPEN DAY

Every last Sun of the month

Hackney's oldest building will be open to the public. Find out about the history of the building and climb the 135 stairs for the best view of Hackney. St Augustine's Tower, Mare St, E8. Info: leiks@btconnect.com; www.hhbt.org.uk



Above, the full line-up of award-winners and those short-listed for this year's Hackney Youth Awards; right: Peer Education winner Sarai Neale

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Ten out of ten

By
Gracia Douglas

The outstanding achievements of the borough's young people were celebrated at the 10th annual Hackney Youth Awards.

More than 300 guests attended the event at Ocean, in Mare Street, which was compered by BBC Radio 1 host Ras Kwame.

The judging process and awards night was organised by young people themselves, including some of last year's winners.

The eight main award categories for 2009 included a Higher Achievement Award for Queensbridge Football Team who won this year's Five Boroughs' football



Luminous celebrate after winning the Group award



Rhasan Brunner, one of last year's award winners



MORE INFO

For youth activities go to:
www.younghackney.org

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“A fantastic rebuttal to the negative portrayal of our youth”

Personal Achievement; Sarai Neale for Peer Education; Rachel Piper for Environment; and Aisha Koia for Special Contribution. The Group Award was won by Luminous.

Speaking after the event on 24 September, Cllr Rita Krishna, Cabinet Member for Children Services, said: "Congratulations to all involved, these young people are an inspiration

for their peers. The awards are an important way for us to celebrate and showcase the talent and commitment of young people in Hackney, and are a fantastic rebuttal to the negative portrayal of some of our young people."

The awards are organised by Hackney Youth Service, Hackney Voluntary Action, Rising Tide, Hackney Homes and the Metropolitan Police.

tournament. Other winners included Kelly-Louise Edward in the Citizenship category; Lindsay Jones for



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This page was compiled with the help of Homerton hospital, NHS City and Hackney, and the East London NHS Foundation Trust

Picture: Hannah Maule-ffinch



Striking images from Uganda dealing with mental health issues will be on show at Together Our Space Gallery, Old Street, EC2, from 8 Oct to 18 Nov

Finding strength

By
Kate Gibney

PIONEERING work in Uganda is the theme of photography show Strength and Hope, which opens in World Mental Health Week.

It features the work of award-winning photographer Hannah Maule-ffinch, who was commissioned in 2004 by The Butabika Link – an exchange programme

created by the East London NHS Foundation Trust and Ugandan Mental Health services. The images were mainly shot at Butabika Hospital, Uganda's only referral mental health institution. The programme has run training and projects on subjects such as post-traumatic stress and child mental health.

Hannah also visited remote areas benefiting from the service with Trust staff and Ugandan health professionals. Co-ordinator, Cerdic Hall, said: "The photographs

“East London has an opportunity to learn so much more about working across barriers”

capture so well the incredible strength and resilience of Ugandans suffering from mental illness. East London has an opportunity to learn so

much more about working across barriers, but most of all we are inspired to be part of the solution."

The week will also be celebrated in Hackney at The Round Chapel, from 11am to 4pm, on 8 October. Activities include photography, dance and poetry along with workshops on therapies and well-being and recovery.

The event is run by Hackney Community Services, local voluntary groups and NHS mental health services.



Funds for healthy eating projects

NEWS IN BRIEF

Have your say in local health

THE public can now have a say in how healthcare is run locally following a call for 'People's Platforms' by North-East London's Primary Care Trusts.

Local hospitals along with primary and community health are the main areas under review. Working groups have investigated urgent surgery and medicine, children's services, maternity and newborn services.

Joint clinical director for the programme, Dr Mike Gill, Medical Director and Consultant Geriatrician at Newham University Hospital NHS Trust, said: "Our aim is to improve the health of residents and ensure that if people are ill, they get the right services at the right location from the best clinical teams." For more details call: 020 7092 5233, e-mail: healthfornel@thpct.nhs.uk, or visit: www.healthfornel.nhs.uk

Choose community chest

A POT OF money is available from the local NHS to support projects that promote the idea of being a healthy weight among residents.

As well as eating healthily, the aim is to encourage

physical activity, emotional resilience and well-being. The project hopes to attract small voluntary sector organisations, tenants and residents associations, especially those involving children and older people, and residents from black and ethnic minority communities.

The first category of funding will cover 15 projects for up to £1,000 each. A second is for eight projects up to £7,500 each. A number of criteria will be used to make decisions on funding. These include factors such as the wishes of local residents, their needs, likely health benefits, value for money, innovation and experience of managing public grants. Proposals must be received by 12noon, Friday, 30 October. For further details call: 020 7683 4044; or visit: www.cityandhackney.nhs.uk/news

The world comes to Hackney

A PARTY with an international flavour celebrated the work of carers at the new and improved City & Hackney Carers Centre on 30 September. Music, dance and exotic dishes gave spice to an event recognising the role of carers.

A magic show and Bollywood dance display were highlights from a day that allowed guests to discover more about everything from an old English teashop to a Turkish bazaar.

It's hoped the facilities will become a centre of well-being for carers who

make big sacrifices without any financial reward. Unpaid caring work saves up to £87 billion a year. The centre offers welfare advice, counselling and therapies for unpaid carers over 18. It also offers extra support for younger and older carers, and those

with mental health problems and learning disabilities.

MORE INFO

Call: 020 7923 8750; or visit the centre at 96-102 Springfield House, 5 Tyssen Street, E8 2LZ.



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Have your say

on the detailed design to improve Millfields Park

Following a consultation with the local community earlier in the year, we have appointed designers to improve Millfields Park.

We would like to invite you to a series of workshops where you can speak to designers and Council Staff and give your ideas and suggestions to help develop a detailed design for the Park:

Introduction and Your Ideas
Southwold School, Detmold Road, E5 9NL
Wednesday 7th October, 6.30 - 9pm

Design Consultation
Nye Bevan Community Hall,
Overbury Street, E5 0AN
Thursday 22nd October, 6.30 - 9pm

Masterplan Presentation
Southwold School, Detmold Road, E5 9NL
Wednesday 4th November, 6.30 - 9pm

 For more information please contact Bruce Irving.
Tel. 0208 356 4958 Email. bruce.irving@hackney.gov.uk

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Planning Decisions Team

Notice Of Application For Planning Permission

Under Article 8 Of The Town And Country Planning (General Development Procedure) Order 1995
The Town And Country Planning Act 1990 (As Amended)
Date of notice: 5 October 2009

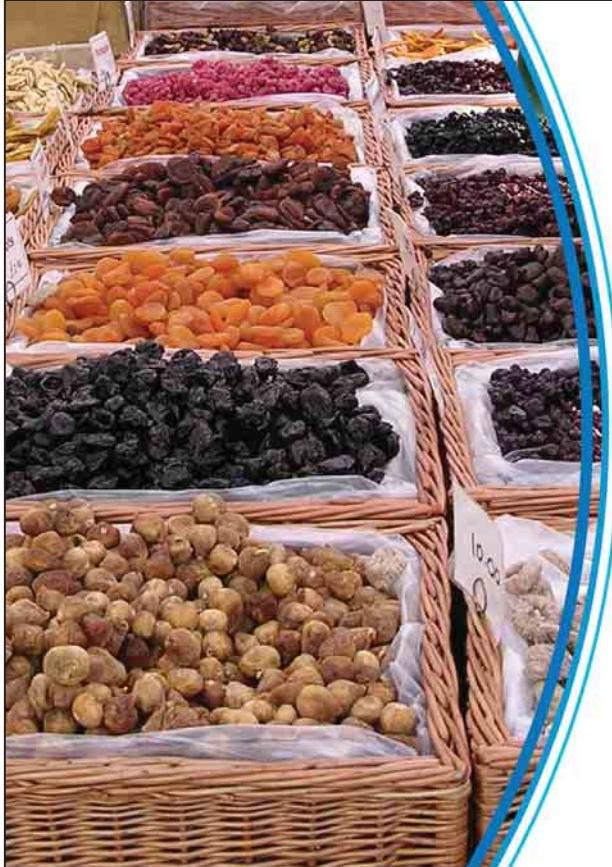
In accordance with the above act and related legislation, notice is hereby given that the application forms, plans and other documents submitted in relation to the proposal noted below may be examined at the Olympic Delivery Authority Planning Reception, 11 Burford Road, Stratford, London, E15 2ST. The reception is open from 09:00 - 17:00 Monday to Friday by appointment only telephone number 020 8430 6020.

The above documents are also available to download from the Planning Register on the Planning Decisions Team website www.london2012.com/planning. Anyone who wishes to make comments about the application should write to the address below quoting the relevant Application Reference Number: Head of Development Control, Planning Decisions Team, Olympic Delivery Authority, Mailpoint 32B, 23rd Floor, 1 Churchill Place, London, E14 5LN. Alternatively comments can be made by email to: planning.enquiries@pdt.oda.gov.uk Comments should be submitted within 21 days of the date of this notice and should be received by 26 October 2009.

Application Reference No: 09/90275/AODODA Application Site: Land Within PDZ 6 Of The Olympic Park (Bounded By The Loop Road, River Lea And Velodrome) - Basketball Site

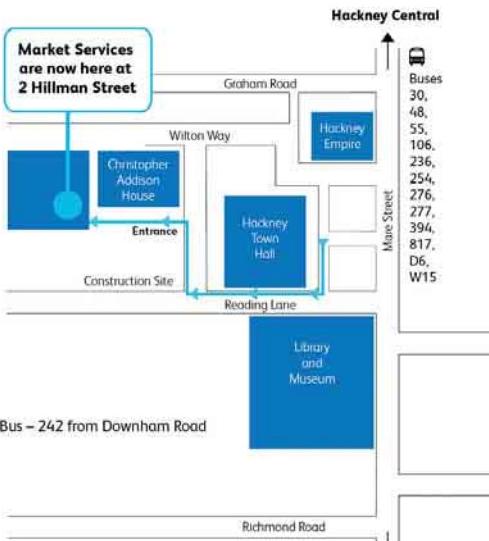
Description of Proposal: Submission of details pursuant to condition BAOD.13 - Details for Basketball Arena (external appearance) of planning permission 08/90346/FULODA.

Applicant's name: Olympic Delivery Authority Dated: 5 October 2009
Authorised by: Vivienne Ramsey On Behalf of: Olympic Delivery Authority, Planning Decisions Team



Market Services have moved

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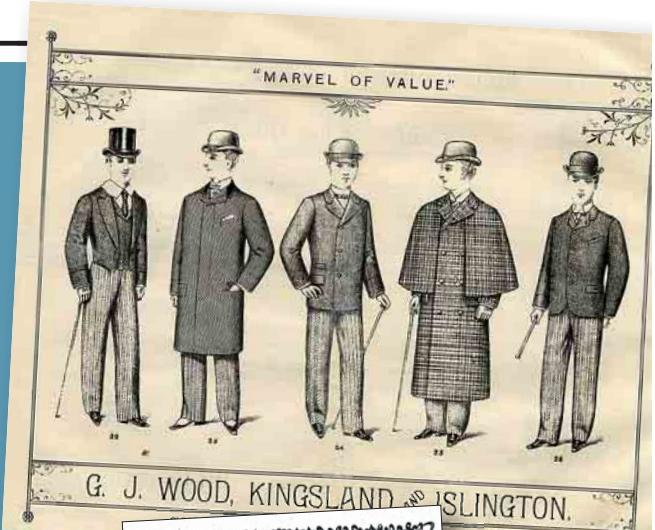


 For more information about markets in Hackney contact:
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www.hackney.gov.uk/markets

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Strand magazine in 1904 described how: "Mare Street is famous for its 'Monkeys' Parade'. On Sunday evening it is packed from end to end with promenaders. The costumes were as gay and gorgeous as those that grace the Heath of Hampstead on a Whit-Monday."



Sunday best

By Elizabeth Green, Archives Access & Outreach Officer

Hackney has long been associated with the clothing and footwear industry. Many City-based manufacturers had factories or warehouses in the borough, where land was cheaper, but still within reach of central London shops.

One well-established clothing firm was founded in 1857 by John Lloyd and George Gladman in Wood Street, EC1. It specialised in shirts, and later, collars and cravats. The company expanded steadily and soon needed additional premises on Wood Street,

and Cheapside. In 1861, Gladman was replaced by Gregory Culling Attree. Five years later, JE Smith, a Ludgate Hill retailer joined, and for the next 100 years it was known as Lloyd, Attree and Smith.

The firm cemented its reputation with items such as the 'octagon tie'. In 1888, John Edward Lloyd took over as partner from his father and a year later the firm bought a large new factory in Great Eastern Street. Disaster struck, however, in 1898,

when a large fire destroyed most of the factory.

Finally, a site was found in Shacklewell Lane, E8, close to the firm's offices and warehouses. The new factory opened in 1899 and covered about 30,000 square feet with a licence to hold up to 600 people. The advent of electricity around this time revolutionised working conditions. In 1938, a modern warehouse was built on the site adjoining the Dalston factory and their Wood Street warehouse moved

there in 1939. The firm maintained a City office and a showroom in Wood Street. Lloyd Attree & Smith continued to occupy the premises in Shacklewell Lane up until the 1970s. It celebrated its centenary in 1957.

MORE INFO

Hackney Archives – based at **43 De Beauvoir Road, N1** – looks after Council administrative records and archives dating back to 1700. It also keeps records for individuals and organisations with links to Hackney.

Call: **020 7241 2886**, or visit: www.hackney.gov.uk/archives

Below: the Lloyd Attree & Smith centenary booklet, including an Oscar winning ensemble, as recognised by the National Association of Outfitters at their annual Convention in 1956



Above: Simpson's of Piccadilly set up a factory in Stoke Newington in 1929, where their legendary clothes were created. Left: H. Latner of 324 Mare Street advertise a 'Swagger Style Fur Coat' in 1948





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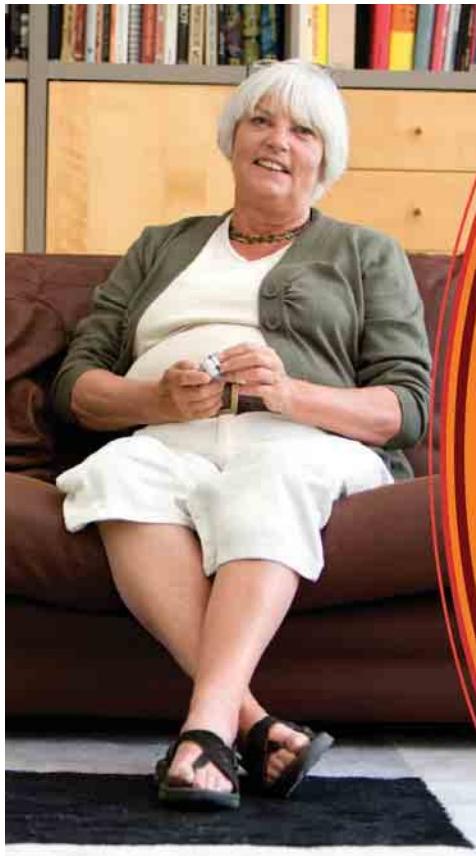
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or 020 8356 2977 or 020 8356 5605.





Young and old took advantage of the car free streets during London's Skyride

Free as a bird



By
Marcel Reinard

It was two wheels good for cyclists as cars were banished from the roads for a day in central London.

Around 65,000 bike owners took in some of Capital's most famous sites as part of the Mayor of London's Skyride event to encourage more people to get on their bikes. Roads were closed to traffic in Westminster and the City of London over the weekend of 19-20 September to

The Council provides two hours free cycle training to all those who live, work and study in the borough



make way for riders and spectators who came to see the conclusion of 86km road race the Tour of Britain. Olympic gold medalist Chris Hoy and the London Mayor, Boris

Johnson, joined in the following nine-mile Skyride event, which took in Buckingham Palace, Trafalgar Square and the Tower of London. A spokesperson for the

Mayor of London said: "One of the major deterrents people had for not cycling was lack of confidence and the fear of safety. The day was a chance for people who hadn't cycled for a long time to get more confident on the roads."

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MORE INFO

For more information, visit www.hackney.gov.uk/movebybike.htm

NEWS IN BRIEF

Ticket to ride



FARE dodgers got an unexpected surprise when police and ticket inspectors stepped up checks on a busy bus route. On 18 September, eight police officers alongside 11

community support officers and 15 ticket inspectors patrolled the Graham Road part of the 38 route in a move to target fare evaders. It resulted in 1,677 passengers and 43 buses being checked. Inspectors issued 72 penalty fares and 34 people were reported for consideration of prosecution by Transport for London (TfL). The police also made one arrest.

Elizabeth Ajala, from TfL, said: "Fare evaders cost Londoners in the region of £30million in 2008. This money could and should be used to further improve the service." Penalties for fare evasion range from £50 to £1,000.

Make it count

FREE workshops in drama, film production, theatre and media theory are being offered to young people during October half-term. The 'Make your Messages Count' workshops aim to give 15 to 19-year-olds a first-hand taste of real media work by giving them a say in how the Council communicates local services and safety measures to young people. It has been organised by the Council's Road Safety Team and will also give attendees experience in radio, new media and publicity.



Cllr Alan Laing, Cabinet Member for Neighbourhoods, said: "I hope many will take this opportunity to help us improve how we communicate with all our residents."

The workshops will run from 27 to 30 October, 10am-4pm, at Abbot Street Studios, E8. For more info, or to book a place, contact Sandra Agbabiaka on: 020 8356 8364 or e-mail: sandra.agbabiaka@hackney.gov.uk

Walk to school and get fit

THOUSANDS of children from across the UK will be joining forces with those in over 40 countries worldwide this month to celebrate the benefits of walking to school.

Walk to School Month is a national campaign run by charity Living Streets. This year's theme is 'count me in' and will focus on

measuring physical activity and helping pupils discover how easy it is to reach the recommended daily 60 minutes of moderate physical activity.

Around half of children don't walk to school regularly, 41 per cent are driven, despite the average distance to primary schools being around a mile.

Teachers often report that those pupils who walk to school are more attentive. By walking to school and back each day, the average child will already be doing more physical activity than is provided for by the national curriculum.

Tony Armstrong, Chief Executive of Living Streets, said: "When children are

bundled from front door to car door, they miss out on the opportunity to socialise with friends, get to know their community, and burn off some energy before getting their heads down in the books."

The Walk to School campaign is delivered in partnership with local councils including Hackney.



Hackney is now recognised as the most improved Council in the UK, serving one of the most diverse populations. Regeneration is improving housing, public services and transport links. Crime is falling. Exam results are up. The Olympics are coming...



Job vacancies

Neighbourhoods & Regeneration

Recycling Assistant

£25,263 - £26,724

Closing date: 16 October

Part of a committed, forward-thinking and ambitious team, you'll assist with kerbside, estate and bring site recycling schemes. This will include helping with administration and organisation of the schemes, promoting them and monitoring their performance.

Credible and confident with good written communication, you should be able to present information clearly and precisely. The ability to shift your focus to meet changing priorities is essential.

Helping to implement our waste and recycling strategy, you will work to develop the service we provide and contribute to achieving our objectives. This will involve assisting in the execution and monitoring of action plans that turn strategic objectives into reality.

You should bring to the role experience of the waste management and recycling sector, and a grasp of the challenges of inner city recycling.

Finances & Resources

All of the posts below require practical experience of working in a housing benefit environment, together with a comprehensive understanding of the legislation that governs the administration of housing benefit and Council Tax benefit. As well as being able to explain complex information to a range of customers.

Claims Completion Officer

£25,515 - £27,009

Closing date: 19 October

You'll proactively help Hackney residents make and update their housing and Council Tax benefits. This will include home visits, inviting clients to your office, writing and responding

to letters, and attending outreach surgeries and events. You'll need experience of explaining complex information in a customer friendly manner, both verbally and in writing, and being comfortable in an administrative role in an office environment.

We'll also ask you to work on ad hoc projects including campaigns to help us communicate more effectively with our customers. If you have a good working knowledge of housing and Council Tax benefit, experience of IT and of explaining complex information to a range of customers, please apply.



Performance & Information Officer

£31,152 - £33,306

Closing date: 19 October

You'll provide a comprehensive management information and MS Office application support service to the Benefits Service. Your tasks are to create, maintain and develop our information processes and systems, and compile and produce reports.

You'll need a good understanding of performance measures, housing and Council Tax benefit and a good working knowledge of the benefit administration systems, and MS Office software.

You'll create, maintain and develop the performance and management information processes, systems and reports as required, and make reports to the Benefits Management Team. Good communication skills are essential, with a working knowledge of housing and Council Tax benefit legislation, regulations and working practices.

Policy & Projects Officer

£32,532 - £35,055

Closing date: 19 October

You'll scope, plan and deliver

projects, taking the lead in formulating housing and Council Tax benefit policies and producing and maintaining benefit procedures.

You should be able to write clear, concise briefing notes, procedures and reports and have extensive knowledge of housing and Council Tax benefits legislation, regulations and working practices.

It's a broad and varied role in which you'll lead projects, produce and maintain benefits procedures, and advise and brief on legislative changes relating to housing benefit practices, procedures, IT systems, and policies. A calm and confident communicator with a resilient approach, you'll have detailed knowledge of housing and Council Tax legislation and Comprehensive Area Assessment (CCA) performance measures.

We're looking for a highly motivated individual who will assist in developing a programme of change, and who will work on their own initiative.



Senior Benefits Assessor x 2

£30,345 - £31,935

Closing date: 19 October

To accurately process benefits claims, and check processed claims and amendments according to national and local standards, within reasonable timescales.

You'll have extensive knowledge of housing and Council Tax benefit regulations and be an experienced assessor of all types of claims, with the ability to make decisions on cases effectively, responding to letters and considering revisions where appropriate.

You'll be responsible for coaching staff in legislation, practice and procedures, carrying out quality checks and

Job Profile Adrian Bedford

Benefits Team Leader, talks to Hackney Today about the Claims Completion Officer role



What are the main responsibilities of the role?

To help customers fill in forms, and guide them through the benefit claim process, including advice on the documentation they need to provide and how best to do so. This may involve home visits, telephone calls and dealing with landlords and welfare benefit agencies.

In what ways is it challenging?

You need to be sympathetic to customers from different backgrounds, and ensure they get all the help they

need. You also have to be able to get the balance right between giving expert advice that addresses all their needs, as well as dealing with lots of customers in a timely manner. You will be dealing with some of the most vulnerable residents within the borough.

Are there any special requirements for fulfilling this role?

Yes – you need an appreciation of the importance of getting things right first time and ensuring the customer is the focus of

all you do. Plus the ability to identify when people need that extra bit of help. You need a good working knowledge of housing and Council Tax benefit, experience of IT and of explaining complex information to a range of customers.

How is the job rewarding?

Helping people at stressful times and ensuring they get the benefits to which they are entitled is very rewarding. You are the face of Hackney Council in this role and you leave a lasting impression on all you deal with.

providing clear and accurate advice and support to stakeholders.

We're looking for someone with a good standard of written English, who is a team player committed to providing a quality service to our customers.

Senior Control Officer

£32,532 - £35,055

Closing date: 19 October

You'll maintain the integrity of the housing benefit database

on a claim and system basis and implement new housing benefit software.

An effective problem solver and communicator, you will have good computer skills, such as Excel, SQL and Word.

Your responsibilities will include testing new housing benefit software releases while ensuring the integrity of the housing benefit systems. You will also resolve all subsidy and integrity matters at claim level. With extensive knowledge of

housing benefit and Council Tax legislation, you will have experience of project work and testing benefits software (particularly Academy), as well as of benefits error resolution and system reconciliations.

MORE INFO

For more details on these jobs call: 020 8356 8845; or visit: www.hackney.gov.uk/jobs

the learning trust

www.learningtrust.co.uk

VACANCIES ON THE SCHOOL ADMISSION FORUM

There are currently two vacancies on the School Admission Forum: one for a Muslim representative (nominated by a Muslim community group) and one for a parent (of a child in a Hackney school).

The Forum has a key role in ensuring a fair admissions system that promotes social equity, does not disadvantage one child compared to another and which is easy for parents to understand.

The Forum is also responsible for monitoring compliance with the School Admissions Code of Practice and can refer objections to the Schools Adjudicator where they consider admission arrangements to be unfair.

For more information please contact Asa Melander, Secretary to the School Admission Forum, The Learning Trust, 1 Reading Lane, E8 1GQ by 26 October.

T: 020 8820 7229
E: asa.melander@learningtrust.co.uk

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Recipes straight from the ovens at Hoxton Apprentice
www.hoxtonapprentice.com



Leon left school at 16 and found himself in and out of employment. Without any formal qualifications he was desperate to get a job he could be passionate about. Just before he was about to give up all hope, Leon saw an advert to take part in a hospitality-based challenge, 'Faking It'. The two-week programme at Hoxton Apprentice took a group of young unemployed 'fakers', provided them with basic culinary training, which culminated with them preparing a VIP lunch. Within two weeks Leon knew he had found the right career choice. Now in the third month of his back-of-house apprenticeship, Leon hopes to qualify as a commis chef in record time. Speaking about his experience, he said: "Hoxton Apprentice has provided me with the confidence and passion to really make something of my life. The support I have received from the whole team has been great. I just can't wait for the future!"

Pumpkin Soup

Serves 4

Preparation time
15 mins



Cooking time
30 mins



Ingredients

- 2 pounds (900g) of pumpkin flesh, cut into cubes
- 1 large onion, chopped
- 1 large potato, peeled & cubed
- 1-2 cloves of garlic, crushed
- 1 flat teaspoon of curry powder, mild or medium strength
- 1 bay leaf
- salt & freshly ground pepper
- 3-4 cups of chicken or vegetable stock

Method

- Boil the pumpkin cubes & the bay leaf in some water until nearly tender
- Sweat the chopped onion in the oil until transparent
- Add the crushed garlic, trying not to burn it
- Mix in the curry spice & stir
- Pour the cooked pumpkin into the mixture
- Add potato cubes, stock & salt & pepper, simmer until cooked
- Blend to a creamy consistency
- Serve with crusty rolls, delicious.

The Hoxton Apprentice is a social enterprise set up to train unemployed Hackney people – both in the kitchen and front of house.

Six-month apprenticeships prepare people for the workplace and give them the chance to gain an NVQ in Hospitality. Profits are returned to Training For Life, the charity which operates the restaurant, to deliver more training for unemployed people.

If you would like to offer an apprentice a job, or become an apprentice yourself, call Jeanita Snowdon on: 020 7749 2805. For more info, visit: www.hoxtonapprentice.com

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apprentice

Defence of the realm

Hackney Council is inviting views from visitors, residents and businesses for a new Public Realm Design and Maintenance Guide Supplementary Planning Document (SPD).

The public realm is made up of roads, pavements, signs, seating, cycle stands, trees, kerbs, lighting and green space.

The SPD will guide developers when designing and shaping the areas you enjoy in Hackney. To help us finish it, we want to hear from you on the areas you like and dislike, street clutter, road and pavement

design, accessibility and getting around.

For more information, and to take part in this consultation, visit: www.consultationfinder.com/hackney and select Public Realm Consultation. Every completed survey will go into a draw to win one of five sets of theatre and cinema tickets. You have until 11 November 2009 to give your views.

£1million market

What improvements would you like to see at Ridley Road Market?

The Council is investing £1million to improve the

market, its environment and the way it functions. Local residents, businesses and market traders have already had their say on this issue and the wider community now have the chance to comment on the design proposals.

A public consultation event will take place between 10am-4pm on Saturday 10 October, at a market stall on Ridley Road Market.

For further details on the design proposals and project updates call: 020 8356 7741, or visit: www.hackney.gov.uk/text/ridleyroad.htm

Meetings

COUNCIL MEETINGS

Oct 5	Licensing sub-committee	7pm	Oct 13	Community safety & social inclusion	7pm-9.30pm
Oct 7	Planning sub-committee	6.30pm	Oct 14	Governance & resources scrutiny commission	7pm
Oct 12	Special Cabinet	5pm-6pm	Oct 14	Health in Hackney scrutiny commission	7pm
Oct 12	Children & young people scrutiny commission	7pm	Oct 15	Standards committee	6.30pm
Oct 13	Licensing sub-committee	7pm	Oct 15	Licensing sub-committee	7pm
Oct 13	Living in Hackney scrutiny commission	7pm			

ALL MEETINGS AT HACKNEY TOWN HALL, MARE STREET, E8.
INFO: 020 8356 3316/3302/3441 OR VISIT: WWW.HACKNEY.GOV.UK

TENANTS & RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION MEETINGS IN OCTOBER

Regents Estate	5	Fairbank Estate	7	Shepherds Market	14	Haberdasher	15
Jask Watts	5	Gascoyne 2	7	Wayman Court	14	Webb Estate	19
Stonebridge	5	Gordon Lodge	7	Nelson Mandela	14	North & South Defoe	19
Hunsdon Estate	6	Fields Estate	8	Manor	15	Lea View House	19
St Mary's Estate	6	Wrens Park	12	Tower Gardens	15		

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The Mayor & Councillors

Councillors are elected by Hackney residents and serve for four years.

The last borough elections were in May 2006.

Councillors have a range of responsibilities, including helping to oversee the Council and its services.

They all hold advice surgeries where you can meet your local representative and ask them to take up issues that

may be of concern.

Generally they can help with Council related matters, but if the issue is the responsibility of another person or organisation, they can often point you in the right direction and tell you who you need to see.

Hackney has 57 councillors representing areas called wards – illustrated in the map opposite.

To check which councillor covers your area, or confirm surgery times, call: 020 8356 3373.
More info: www.hackney.gov.uk/l-mayor-cabinet-councillors.htm

ADVICE SURGERY ON CRIME AND COMMUNITY SAFETY ISSUES

Cllr Nkafu, 5-6pm, 1st Monday each month, Hackney Town Hall, Mare St, E8.

To book an appointment call: 020 8356 3211

1. BROWNSWOOD



2. CAZENOVE



3. CHATHAM



Hackney's wards in alphabetical order

1. Brownswood
2. Cazenove
3. Chatham
4. Clissold
5. Dalston
6. De Beauvoir
7. Hackney Central
8. Hackney Downs
9. Haggerston
10. Hoxton
11. Kings Park
12. Leabridge
13. Lordship
14. New River
15. Queensbridge
16. Springfield
17. Stoke Newington Central
18. Victoria
19. Wick



4. CLISSOLD



5. DALSTON



6. DE BEAUVOIR



7. HACKNEY CENTRAL



8. HACKNEY DOWNS



9. HAGGERSTON



10. HOXTON



11. KINGS PARK



12. LEABRIDGE



13. LORDSHIP



14. NEW RIVER



15. QUEENSBRIDGE



16. SPRINGFIELD



17. STOKE NEWINGTON CENTRAL



18. VICTORIA



19. WICK



Hackney Council is committed to improving services, increasing opportunities for all including and creating a safer, cleaner, greener borough. Here we focus on a service that helps make this possible:



GIVING YOUTH A SECOND CHANCE

Liz Dewsbury, Operational Manager, Youth Offending Team

Liz, 51, joined Hackney in January 2005. Her work includes preventing young people from committing crimes and helping to stop them re-offending. She has spent more than 20 years in the voluntary sector working with offenders and those with mental health issues. Her team of 16 supports young people, and their families that are on bail, under court orders or community custody and secure cases. Successful projects which the YOT has piloted with partners include

weapons awareness; building safer relationships; and citizenship schools. Liz is especially proud of the reparation service and community garden project, recently praised by Justice Secretary Jack Straw. She says: "Young people often want to work and give something back. We welcome the challenge to get them to understand and overcome barriers and the successful outcomes are rewards for us all."

By
Gracia Douglas

Hackney has among the highest numbers of young residents in London, and the Council's Youth Offending Team (YOT) provides support for young people, with the aim of preventing offending, or stopping ex-offenders falling back into crime.

The YOT is made up of representatives from social services, probation, police, the health, education, drugs and alcohol misuse, and housing sectors.

There are two main divisions within the YOT: statutory services and prevention services. The



Picture: Beccy Smart
The Youth Offending Team helps young people at risk of falling into crime

statutory services have responsibility for supervising all court orders for young people in Hackney. They identify each young offender's needs and provide support to prevent further offending. Interventions can include

one-to-one or group work or family-orientated support.

The prevention side of the YOT works with young people at risk of offending and has a similar approach, assessing each young person individually to provide a package of

support. Young people and their parents or carers are involved with every stage of YOT intervention, whether through a statutory order or prevention services.

The team also need volunteers to become referral panel members and work with young people as part of the reparation service. Liz said: "The Youth Justice Board offers a training programme and support to suitable candidates who can make a commitment of as little as four hours each month."

MORE INFO

For more information about becoming a YOT volunteer, call: 020 8356 1090; e-mail geraldine.bolton@hackney.gov.uk

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990 PUBLIC INQUIRY

Council Refs: 2005/013/ENF

PINS Refs: APP/U5360/C/09/2101244 and APP/U5360/C/09/2101245

Appeals have been made by Mr. Bhupinder Singh Brar and Mrs. Ranbir Kaur Brar against the decision of the London Borough of Hackney to instigate enforcement proceedings at 58 – 60 Broadway Market, Hackney, LONDON E8 4QJ for the installation of UPVC windows on the first and second floor levels on the front elevation of the properties.

The Inquiry will be held at The Council Chambers, Hackney Town Hall, Mare Street, London E8 1EA on Wednesday, 28th October, 2009 at 10am.

Members of the public may attend the inquiry and, at the Inspector's discretion express their views. If you or anyone you know has a disability and is concerned about facilities at the Inquiry venue, you should contact the council to confirm that suitable provisions are in place.

Graham Loveland
Interim Assistant Director
Planning

Date: 05/10/2009

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TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990 PUBLIC INQUIRY

Council Refs: 2008/2512 and 2004/1343/ENF

PINS Refs: APP/U5360/C/09/2100625, APP/U5360/C/09/2100626 & APP/U5360/A/09/2100627

Appeals have been made by Mr. Jacob Dreyfuss and Mrs. J. Dreyfuss against the decision of the London Borough of Hackney to refuse planning permission and to instigate enforcement proceedings at 40 Lingwood Road, London, E5 9BN for:

- (i) The erection of a front boundary wall and erection of a three storey family dwelling with enlarged front and rear dormer roof extensions, raising the ridge of the roof, extensions and alterations to the rear including balconies at ground and first floor levels, and
- (ii) Retention of enlarged front dormer, front boundary wall; and alterations to the rear including balconies at ground and first floor levels.

The inquiry will be held at The Council Chambers, Hackney Town Hall, Mare Street, London E8 1EA on 20th and 21st October, 2009 at 10am.

Members of the public may attend the inquiry and, at the Inspector's discretion express their views. If you or anyone you know has a disability and is concerned about facilities at the Inquiry venue, you should contact the council to confirm that suitable provisions are in place.

Graham Loveland
Interim Assistant Director
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Date: 05/10/2009

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LICENSING

Notice is given that **Donday Ltd** have applied to Hackney Council to vary the premises licence at: **Unit 2, 65 Rivington Street, London EC2A 3AY** in order to make the following variation to the licence: To extend opening hours and for licensable activity already in place from 23.00 Sunday to Thursday and 01.00 Friday and Saturdays to 01.00 Sundays on 03.00 Fridays and Saturdays except the hours that are open to the public which will be extended to 01.30 Sundays to Thursdays and 03.30 Fridays and Saturdays.

The licence register listing details of the variation is held at the licensing Service 263 Mare Street London E8 3HT (Tel 020 8356 4970).

Details are also available online at www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing.

Any representations against the application must be made in writing and received by the Licensing Service at the above address by no later than the 21 October 09. Residents and businesses in the vicinity of the premises or bodies representing such residents or businesses may make representations. The grounds on which the representations may be made are restricted to the licensing objectives of the prevention of crime and disorder, public safety, the prevention of public nuisance and the protection of children from harm. Representations cannot be made after the provisional statement has been issued. Copies of all representations will be sent to the applicant. It is an offence liable on conviction to a fine up to £5000 for an applicant to knowingly or recklessly make a false statement in connection with an application.



TRAFFIC

TTRO/P337B ALEXANDRA GROVE N4 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING & PROHIBITION OF PEDESTRIANS ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned CRANE OPERATIONAL WORKS within ALEXANDRA GROVE N4 they have made an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving

Alexandra Grove From its junction with the Emergency Access Gate to a point 30 metres south east of that point

2. Prohibition of pedestrians

Alexandra Grove From its junction with the Emergency Access Gate to a point 30 metres south east of that point

3. The diversion route for the footpath will be along the opposite side

4. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

5. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) and (2) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

6. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
5 Oct 2009	0800 hrs	19 Oct 2009	1800 hrs

7. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 020 8356 2897

TTRO / P311B BERGER ROAD E9 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF WAITING LOADING UNLOADING ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned CONSTRUCTION WORKS within BERGER ROAD E9 they intend to make an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading at any time

Berger Road From a point 5 metres south west of the left hand side of the new vehicular access (pink gates and opposite the existing unnamed access road into the flats) to a point 23 metres north east

Berger Road From a point 8 metres south west of the existing unnamed access road (opposite the pink gates) to a point 23 metres north east

2. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

3. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

4. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (1) above may require vehicles to be removed at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform

5. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
5 Oct 2009	2389 hrs	19 Sep 2011	2359 hrs

6. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 0208 356 2897

TTRO/P341A CHARLES SQUARE N1 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned CABLE DUCT INSTALLATION WORKS within CHARLES SQUARE N1 they intend to make an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving

Charles Square From its junction with Pitfield Street in a westerly direction to its junction with Parkinson Close

2. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

3. The restriction referred to in paragraph (1) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

4. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
19 Oct 2009	0800 hrs	8 Nov 2009	1700 hrs

5. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 020 8356 2897

TTRO/P339A FREDERICK TERRACE E8 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned EDF ELECTRICAL CONNECTION WORKS within FREDERICK TERRACE E8 they intend to make an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving

Frederick Terrace From its junction with Arbutus Street to a point 5 metres north of that junction

2. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

3. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

4. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
1 Nov 2009	0900 hrs	3 Nov 2009	1700 hrs

5. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 020 8356 2897

its junction with Kingsland Road
3. Prohibition of Left and Right Turn manoeuvres
Nuttall Street at its junction with Kingsland Road
Nuttall Street at its junction with all unnamed access road into the private parking areas

4. Prohibition of Pedestrians
Nuttall Street Along the lengths as defined in paragraphs 1 both sides and 2
5. The diversion route for the footpath will be along the opposite side

6. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

7. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) and (2) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

8. The restrictions outlined in paragraphs (3) and (4) shall apply when the respective phases are in operation as outlined in paragraph (9)

9. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
Phase 1			
5 Oct 2009	0800 hrs	16 Oct 2009	1700 hrs
Phase 2			
19 Oct 2009	0800 hrs	30 Oct 2009	1700 hrs

10. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 020 8356 2897

TTRO/P343A HILLSTOWE STREET E5 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF WAITING LOADING UNLOADING ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned ABNORMAL LOADS within HILLSTOWE STREET E5 they intend to make an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading 8am to 6pm

Hillstone Street From its junction with Lea Bridge Road South West side (A104) in a south easterly direction along its entire length to the unnamed access road leading into South Mill Fields Park

2. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

3. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (1) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

4. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (1) above may require vehicles to be removed at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform

5. The Order will operate on the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
27 Oct 2009	0800 hrs	27 Oct 2009	1800 hrs
28 Oct 2009	0800 hrs	28 Oct 2009	1800 hrs

6. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 0208 356 2897

TTRO/P344A OTLEY TERRACE & SKOOL NOOK E5 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned FOOTWAY REFURBISHMENT WORKS within OTLEY TERRACE AND SKOOL NOOK E5 they intend to make an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving

Otley Terrace From the unnamed access road (locally referred to as Lea Bridge Road access road) in a south easterly direction along its entire length.

Skool Nook From the unnamed access road (locally referred to as Lea Bridge Road access road) in a south easterly direction along its entire length.

2. Prohibition of pedestrians

Otley Terrace From the unnamed access road (locally referred to as Lea Bridge Road access road) in a south easterly direction along its entire length.

Skool Nook From the unnamed access road (locally referred to as Lea Bridge Road access road) in a south easterly direction along its entire length

3. The diversion route for the footpath will be along the opposite side

4. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

5. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) and (2) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

6. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (2) will only operate under a rolling program where only one footway in each street shall be closed at any given period

7. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
19 Oct 2009	0800 hrs	27 Nov 2009	1800 hrs

8. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 020 8356 2897

TTRO/P353B NUTTALL STREET N1 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING Road TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT REMEDIAL WORKS within NUTTALL STREET N1 they have made an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving (phase 1)

Nuttall Street From its junction with Hoxton Street in a general north easterly direction to a point in line with the south western kerb line of the unnamed access road into the hospital

2. Prohibition of driving (phase 2)

Nuttall Street From a point in line with the north eastern kerb line of the unnamed access road into the hospital in a general north easterly direction to

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(TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned CABLE INSTALLATION WORKS within PITFIELD STREET N1 they intend to make an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to:-

Prohibition of driving

Pitfield Street From its junction with Old Street to its junction with the most northern section of Charles Square (opposite Coronet Street)

Charles Square southern section From its junction with Pitfield Street in a westerly direction for a distance of 2 metres

Boot Street From its junction with Pitfield Street in an easterly direction for a distance of 2 metres

2. Revocation of One Way

Boot Street From its junction with Hoxton Market to its junction with Pitfield Street

3. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

4. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) and (2) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

5. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
24 Oct 2009	0800 hrs	24 Oct 2009	1700 hrs
31 Oct 2009	0800 hrs	31 Oct 2009	1700 hrs

6. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 0208 356 2897

between 88m and 123m west of its junction with Broadway Market

2. Prohibition of entry except for access

Regents Row From its junction with Broadway Market in a westerly direction for a distance of 78m (eastern boundary of Lock Cottage)

Regents Row From its junction with Marlborough Avenue in an easterly direction to the western boundary of Lock Cottage

3. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

4. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) and (2) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

5. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
7 Oct 2009	0800 hrs	9 Oct 2009	1800 hrs

6. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on 020 8356 2897

Council of the London Borough of Hackney made the above-mentioned Order under sections 6 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Order will be to introduce loading restrictions operating "at any time" into Churchill Walk at the following locations:

- (a) at the junction with Barton Close;
- (b) at the junction with Burnett Close; and
- (c) at the junction with Homerton Row.

3. Copies of the Order, which will come into force on 7th October 2009, other relevant Orders, and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Order is made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 0208 356 2897.

4. If any person wishes to question the validity of any of the Orders, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Orders are made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

Dated this 5th day of October 2009.

during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Orders are made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. If any person wishes to question the validity of any of the Orders, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Orders are made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

DATED THIS 5TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2009

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (ZONE F) (AMENDMENT NO.8) ORDER 2009 THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO. 57) ORDER 2009 TR0 556

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 2nd October 2009 the Council of the London Borough of Hackney made the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6, 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Orders will be to relocate an existing general permit bay outside Nos.138-146 Haggerston Road (Columbia Wharf) to a point 30 metres north of its junction with Lubinum Street and replace it with waiting restrictions operating "at any time".

3. Copies of the Orders, which will come into force on 7th October 2009, other relevant Orders, and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Orders are made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. If any person wishes to question the validity of either of the Orders, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Orders are made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

DATED THIS 5TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2009

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (G ZONE) (AMENDMENT NO. 6) ORDER 2009 THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (MATCHDAY) (AMENDMENT NO. 3) ORDER 2009 THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO.55) ORDER 2009 TR0 553

1.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 2nd October 2009 the Council of the London Borough of Hackney made the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6, 45, 46, 49 and 124 and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2.

The general effect of the Orders will be:-

(a) replace a section of a permit bay outside No. 70 Queen Elizabeth's Walk with waiting restrictions operating "at any time";

(b) introduce waiting restrictions operating "at any time" into a certain section of Berkshire Road.

3.

Copies of the Orders, which will come into force on 7th October 2009, other relevant Orders, and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Orders are made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4.

If any person wishes to question the validity of any of the Orders, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Orders are made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

DATED THIS 5TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2009

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PREScribed ROUTES) (AMENDMENT NO. 6) ORDER 2009 TR0 543A

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 2nd October 2009 the Council of the London Borough of Hackney made the above-mentioned Order under sections 6 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Order will be to amend the operation of the existing one way traffic system in Paul Street, running north to south between its junctions with Leonard Street and Worship Street, so that cyclists would be excluded from the one way operation.

3. Copies of the Order, which will come into force on 7th October 2009, other relevant Orders, and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Order is made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. If any person wishes to question the validity of the Order, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Order is made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

DATED THIS 5TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2009

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (D ZONE) (AMENDMENT NO. 5) ORDER 2009 THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (ZONE J) (AMENDMENT NO. 8) ORDER 2009 THE HACKNEY (DISABLED PERSON PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO. 20) ORDER 2009 THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO. 56) ORDER 2009 TR0 552

1.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 2nd October 2009 the Council of the London Borough of Hackney made the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6, 45, 46, 49 and 124 and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2.

The general effect of the Orders will be:-

(a) introduce disabled bays outside No. 10 Bluebell Close, No. 25 Moulins Road, No. 7 Paget Road, No. 49 Springfield Gardens No. 23H Springfield, and opposite Nos. 134/136A Lea Bridge Road;

(b) remove existing disabled bays outside Nos. 11, 23, 33, 143, and 245 Kyverdale Road;

(c) remove an existing disabled bay outside 44 Dunlace Road and replace with it with a resident permit bay;

(d) introduce disabled bays outside Nos. 32 and 34 Queensdown Road, replacing a section of resident permit bay;

(e) replace a section of general permit bay with waiting restrictions operating "at any time" outside No. 28 Bodney Road.

3.

Copies of the Orders, which will come into force on 7th October 2009, other relevant Orders, and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected

during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Order is made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. If any person wishes to question the validity of the Order, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Order is made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

5.

The general effect of the Order will be to introduce waiting restrictions operating "at any time" into a section of Richmond Road.

DATED THIS 5TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2009

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO. 52) ORDER 2009 TR0 545

1.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 2nd October 2009 the Council of the London Borough of Hackney made the above-mentioned Order under sections 6 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2.

The general effect of the Order will be to introduce waiting restrictions operating "at any time" into Churchill Walk at the following locations:

(a) at the junction with Barton Close;

(b) at the junction with Burnett Close; and

(c) at the junction with Homerton Row.

3.

Copies of the Order, which will come into force on 7th October 2009, other relevant Orders, and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected

during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Order is made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4.

If any person wishes to question the validity of any of the Orders, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Orders are made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

5.

Dated this 5th day of October 2009.

TTR0/P327B REGENTS ROW E8 TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned EDF ELECTRICAL CONNECTION WORKS within REGENTS ROW E8 they intend to make an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to:-

1. Prohibition of driving

Regents Row Between points bounded by the property referred to as Lock Cottage a distance of

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO. 54) ORDER 2009 TR0 554

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 2nd October 2009 the

3. Copies of the Order, which will come into force on 7th October 2009, other relevant Orders, and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Order is made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. If any person wishes to question the validity of the Order, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Order is made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

DATED THIS 5TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2009

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (B ZONE) (AMENDMENT NO.5) ORDER 2009 THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO.53) ORDER 2009 TRO 555

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 2nd October 2009 the Council of the London Borough of Hackney made the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6, 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Orders will be:

(a) relocate an existing motorcycle bay from outside No. 30 Rivington Street to outside No. 28 Rivington Street, replacing 5.4 metres of existing single yellow line; and (b) extend the length of an existing shared use bay located outside No. 26 Rivington Street eastwards by a distance of 6 metres, thereby replacing the existing motorcycle bay.

3. Copies of the Orders, which will come into force on 7th October 2009, other relevant Orders, and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Orders are made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. If any person wishes to question the validity of either of the Orders, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Orders are made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

Dated this 5th day of October 2009

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY HIGHWAYS ACT 1980 – SECTION 90C CHRISTIE ROAD ENTRY TREATMENT TRO 563

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the London Borough of Hackney, in accordance with Section 90C of the Highway Act 1980 and the Highways (Road Humps) Regulations 1999, proposes the provision of a raised entry treatment into a section of the Christie Road listed in the schedule to this notice.

Plans of the proposed measures can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until a period of 21 days from the date, on which this notice is published, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897. Any objections to the proposals should be sent by a period of 21 days from the date on which this notice is published to this address.

DATED THIS 5TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2009

SCHEDULE

Note: The raised entry treatments would have 1:10 ramp gradients.

Christie Road From its junction with Cassland Road, eastwards for a distance of 8.5 metres.

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (D ZONE) (NO. *) ORDER 200* THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (D ZONE) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200* THE HACKNEY (DISABLED PERSONS PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200* THE HACKNEY (DOCTORS PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200* THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200* TRO 565

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6, 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Orders in relation to The Hackney

Controlled Parking Zone D (North) would be:-
 (a) to consolidate without change in substance the provisions of all the previous Hackney parking places (Zone D) Orders including the following amendments below;
 (b) to make amendments to the existing parking place provisions, either by adding, removing or varying parking places in various streets or parts of streets
 (c) to make amendments to the existing waiting and loading restriction provisions, either by adding, varying or removing restrictions in various streets or parts of streets
 (d) to make amendments to the existing Disabled parking place and Doctors parking provisions, either by adding, removing or varying Disabled parking places or Doctors parking places in various streets or parts of streets
 (e) to make amendments to the time interval, before a vehicle may again be left in a parking place, after the expiration of the maximum initial period for which a vehicle may be left during the permitted hours, in all existing Pay and display and Shared use bays as follows:-

- Max Stay 1 hour No return within 2 hours
- Max Stay 2 hours No return within 2 hours
- Max Stay 4 hours No return within 2 hours
- Max Stay 10 hours No return within 1 hour

3. Copies of the Orders and other documents giving more detailed particulars of any of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Orders are made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. Any objections or other representations to the proposed orders should be sent in writing to the Assistant Director (Public Realm) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

DATED THIS 5TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2009

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY HIGHWAYS ACT 1980 – SECTION 90C FARLEIGH ROAD/AMHURST ROAD RAISED ENTRY TREATMENT TRO 566

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the London Borough of Hackney, in accordance with Section 90C of the Highway Act 1980 and the Highways (Road Humps) Regulations 1999, proposes the provision of a raised entry treatment into a section of Farleigh Road and Amhurst Road listed in the schedule to this notice.

Plans of the proposed measures can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until a period of 21 days from the date, on which this notice is published, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897. Any objections to the proposals should be sent by a period of 21 days from the date on which this notice is published to this address.

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SCHEDULE

Note: The entry treatment would be constructed and maintained with a maximum height of 100 millimetres with 1:10 on/off sinusoidal ramps.

Farleigh Road/ Centred at the midpoint point of Amhurst Junction Road on all four arms of the junction, a raised junction table. Stretching towards either end of Farleigh Road for a distance of 11.6 metres and towards either end of Amhurst Road for a distance of 11.8 metres.

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO.) ORDER 200* TRO 567

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Order under sections 6 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Order would be to introduce waiting restrictions operating "at any time" into certain sections of Homerton Road.

3. Copies of the Order, other relevant Orders and of other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period 6 weeks from the date on which the Order is made or the Council decides not to make the Order, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. Any objections or other representations about the proposed Order should be sent in writing to the Assistant Director (Public Realm) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

DATED THIS 5TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2009

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (ZONE N) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200* THE HACKNEY (LOADING BAYS) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200* TRO 569

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6, 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Orders would be to replace an existing section of resident parking bay with a loading bay on Rushmore Road alongside No. 92 Chatsworth Road.

3. Copies of the Orders, other relevant Orders and documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period 6 weeks from the date on which the Orders are made or the Council decides not to make the Orders, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. Any objections or other representations about either of the proposed Orders should be sent in writing to the Assistant Director (Public Realm) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

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which this notice is published to this address.

DATED THIS 5TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2009

SCHEDULE

Note: Centre of crossing area defined from a point 0.5 metres west of the common boundary of Nos. 151 & 153 Graham Road

Graham Road From a point 1 metre east of the common boundary of Nos. 152 & 154 Graham Road to the western kerbline of Royal Oak Road

Road South side North side From a point 2 metres west of the common boundary of Nos. 147 & 149 Graham Road extending to a point 1 metre west of the common boundary of Nos. 157 & 159 Graham Road

Note: Centre of crossing area defined from a point 1 metre west of the common boundary of Nos. 105 & 103 Graham Road

Graham Road From a point 4.5 metres west of the common boundary of Nos. 102 & 104 Graham Road to a point 2.5 metres east of the common boundary of Nos. 114 & 116 Graham Road.

North side: From the common boundary of Nos. 97 & 99 Graham Road extending to a point 1.5 metres west of the common boundary of Nos. 107 & 109 Graham Road.

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (DISABLED PERSON PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO. *) ORDER 200* TRO 571

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney propose to make the above-mentioned Order under sections 6, and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Order would be to introduce a disabled bay outside No.139 Holmleigh Road.

3. Copies of the Order, other relevant Orders, and of other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period 6 weeks from the date on which the Order is made or the Council decides not to make the Order, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. Any objections or other representations about the proposed

London Borough of Hackney

Local Authorities (Alcohol Consumption in Designated Public Places) Regulations 2007

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the London Borough of Hackney in exercise of its powers under the Local Authorities (Alcohol Consumption in Designated Public Places) Regulations 2007 proposes to make an order identifying the places detailed in the schedule below.

The Order allows a constable and other accredited persons under section 41, section 42 and schedule 5 to the Police Reform Act to require a person, in a designated place, not to drink alcohol in that place if the officer reasonably believes that a person has consumed or intends to do so, and to surrender the alcohol and any opened or sealed containers in the person's possession. Any person who fails without reasonable excuse to comply with a constable's request under this provision may commit an offence and be liable to prosecution.

SCHEDULE

Land Designated by Description

The perimeter delimited by the following streets:

Hoxton Street

New North Road

Stanway Street

Poole Street

Falkirk Street

Penn Street

Fanshaw Street

Hyde Road



To display a notice on these pages call Lee Ray on 020 8356 3445

Order should be sent in writing to the Assistant Director (Public Realm) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

DATED THIS 5TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2009

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (HOUSING ESTATES, OFF STREET PARKING PLACES) (NO.1) ORDER 2009 THE HACKNEY (OFF STREET PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO.1) ORDER 2009 TR0 572

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 2nd October 2009 the Council of the London Borough of Hackney made the above-mentioned Orders under Sections 32, 35 and 124 of and part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Orders will be to consolidate the provisions of all previous Hackney (Off Street Parking Places) Orders in relation to the Housing Estates specified in the schedule to this notice.

3. Copies of the Orders, which will come into force on 7th October 2009, other relevant Orders, and other documents giving more detailed particulars of either of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period of 6 weeks from the date on which the Orders are made or the Council decides not to make the Orders, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. If any person wishes to question the validity of either of the Orders, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Orders are made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

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SCHEDULE

Broadway Estate, Blackstone Estate, De Beauvoir Estate, Kingsgate Estate, Lockner Estate, Regents Estate, Regents Court, Shrubland Estate, Warburton and Darcy Estate, Welshpool House and Whiston Estate

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (A ZONE) (AMENDMENT NO.1) ORDER 200* THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO.1) ORDER 200* TR0 568

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6, 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Orders would be to:-

- (a) replace a general permit bay outside No. 4 Vestry Street and a resident permit bay outside Nos. 35-41 Tagwright House, Westland Place with waiting restrictions operating "at any time";
- (b) reduce the length of a resident permit bay opposite No. 90 Bevin Street by 5.5 metres and replace it with waiting restrictions operating "at any time";
- (c) increase the length of a resident permit bay in Chart Street outside Nos. 8-40 Hoffman Square by 2 metres to accommodate two vehicles.

3. Copies of the Orders, other relevant Orders and documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period of 6 weeks from the date on which the Orders are made or the Council decides not to make the Orders, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. Any objections or other representations about either of the proposed Orders should be sent in writing to the Assistant Director (Public Realm) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

DATED THIS 5TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2009

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (ZONE C) (AMENDMENT NO.1) ORDER 200* THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (D ZONE) (AMENDMENT NO.1) ORDER 200* THE HACKNEY (DISABLED PERSON PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO.1) ORDER 200* THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO.1) ORDER 200* HACKNEY

(BUS LANES) (AMENDMENT NO.1) ORDER 200* TR0 570A

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6, 45, 46, 49 and 124 and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Orders would be to:-

- a) replace sections of Zone D(c) resident permit parking on Graham Road between Royal Oak Road and Navarino Road with a new puffin pedestrian crossing and relocated bus stops;
- b) replace sections of Zone D (n) resident permit parking on Graham Road between Navarino Road and Greenwood Road with a new puffin pedestrian crossing;
- c) provide additional Zone C parking bays on Graham Road outside nos 71 – 77;
- d) extend the existing westbound bus lane on Graham Road between Greenwood Road and Queensbridge Road and increase the hours of operation to Mon - Sat 7am - 7pm;
- e) upgrade the waiting and loading restrictions in the westbound bus lane to "No waiting or loading Mon - Sat 7am - 7pm";
- f) introduce new "at any time" waiting and loading restrictions outside Nos. 138 – 142 Graham Road and 116 – 120 Graham Road;
- g) remove a redundant disabled bay outside no 77/79 Graham Road.

3. Copies of the Orders, other relevant Orders, and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period of 6 weeks from the date on which the Orders are made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. Any objections or other representations to any of the proposed Orders should be sent in writing to the Assistant Director (Public Realm) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above within 21 days from the date on which this notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

DATED THIS 5TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2009.

PLANNING

E2

25 HACKNEY ROAD LONDON E2 7NX Advert consent for 3 x fascia signs 2009/2043 Affects the setting of a Conservation Area

5-9 YORKTON STREET LONDON E2 8NH Demolition of existing single storey commercial building and redevelopment to provide a mixed use development comprising 995m² of B1-B8 floorspace, 2x1 bed flats, 2x2 bed flats, 4x3 bed flats and 1x4 bed flats, along with a communal terrace at 1st floor level, private amenity space, a parking/servicing area with access of Yorkton Street, cycle storage and bin storage. 2009/0202 Affect the setting of listed buildings

KORSAN BAR 161-165 KINGSLAND ROAD LONDON E2 8AL Erection of a 3metre high brickwall to enclose the forecourt of the premise 2009/1668 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

E5

84 NORTHWOLD ROAD LONDON E5 8RL Clearance of the existing site and construction of four individual blocks of between one and four storeys in height, containing sixty-two residential units (eighteen HCS (Housing Care and Support) units, twelve one-bedroom units, twenty-eight two-bedroom

units and four four-bedroom units) including balconies and roof terraces, together with four disabled car parking spaces and associated access and landscaping works (REVISED DESCRIPTION). 2009/1979 Major Development

E8

64 FOREST ROAD LONDON E8 3BZ Erection of a two storey rear extension; installation of new windows to the rear elevation. 2009/1778 Affect the setting of listed buildings

60 GREENWOOD ROAD LONDON E8 1AB Demolition of existing single storey rear extension and stairs; erection of part single storey, part two storey rear extension at lower ground and ground floor level, together with creation of roof terrace at ground floor level with installation of new metal stairs to provide access to garden from ground floor level. 2009/1950 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

70 MALVERN ROAD LONDON E8 3LJ Single storey rear extension at lower ground level. 2009/2008 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

26-28 RAMSGATE STREET LONDON E8 2NA Submission of details pursuant to Condition 15(deck access bedroom facing glazing) and 16(no residents permits) of planning application reference 2007/0553 dated 25th January 2008. 2009/2011 Affects the setting of a Conservation Area

365 MARE STREET LONDON E8 1HY Installation of internally illuminated fascia signs and projecting signs. 2009/2013 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

N1

SITE AT THE CORNER OF BRIDPORT PLACE AND WILTSHIRE ROW LONDON N1 Erection of a part six and part eight storey building to provide 14 residential units (9 x 2 bed and 5 x 3 bed) plus associated cycle storage, refuse storage and external amenity provision and landscaping. 2009/2065 Major Development

1-20 BURBAGE HOUSE POOLE STREET LONDON N1 5ED Erection of a part five, part eight, part nine storey residential block to provide 29 residential units (6x1b, 11x2b, 10x3b, and 2x4 bed units), plus internal courtyard, 1 disabled parking bay, cycle, refuse and recycling storage. 2009/2066 Major Development

2-10 HERTFORD ROAD LONDON N1 Demolition of existing buildings and redevelopment to provide new buildings ranging between five and seven stories in height to provide: 117 residential units; 2,252 sqm of business (class B1) floorspace; 145sqm of restaurant / cafe (class A3) floorspace together with car parking, cycle storage; and landscaping. 2009/1981 Major Development

3 UFTON GROVE LONDON N1 4HG Basement extension to rear of existing building and alterations to existing ground floor rear extension. 2009/1983 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

N16

WILLIAM PATTEN PRIMARY SCHOOL STOKE NEWINGTON CHURCH STREET LONDON N16 0NX Alterations to the east and south elevations involving the replacement of three windows with doors and installation of a new door; formation of new raised decks and ramps to the play area; resurfacing and installation of storage units, fencing and gates. 2009/1899 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

WILLIAM PATTEN PRIMARY SCHOOL STOKE NEWINGTON CHURCH STREET LONDON N16 0NX Demolition of existing garden walls. 2009/1933 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

137 STOKE NEWINGTON HIGH STREET N16 Installation of non-illuminated fascia sign and ATM header. 2009/1949 Affects the setting of a Conservation Area.

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